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Weather—Cloudy, possibly preceded by showers this morning; colder at night; tomorrow cloudy, probably followed by rain at night.
Temperature yesterday—Highest, 43; lowest, 28.
Weather details on page 10.

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RECEIVER SUIT FILED AGAINST F. H. SMITH CO.

Four Bondholders Also Ask for Injunction and Accounting.

MAIL-FRAUD HEARING SLATED FOR MONDAY

Zihlman and Crissinger Also Named in Civil Court Action.

FIVE OTHERS MADE DEFENDANTS IN CASE

Salaries of $90,000 Per Year Paid to Two Officers, Brief Alleges.

Coincident with announcement by United States Attorney Leo A. Rover that persons indicted in the F. H. Smith Co. mail-fraud case would be arraigned in the District of Columbia Supreme Court today, four bondholders of the company yesterday filed suit for receiver, injunction and accounting.

The suit, in addition to naming the Smith Co. as a defendant, specifies seven other defendants, namely: Representative Frederick N. Zihlman, chairman of the District committee of the House of Representatives, and a former director of the company; Daniel R. Crissinger, former Comptroller of the Currency; G. Bryan Pitts, chairman of the board; Samuel J. Henry, president; the Smith Selling Co., Henry C. Maddux, of the Hamilton Hotel Corporation, and R. Golden Donaldson, president of the Commercial National Bank, and former attorney for the F. H. Smith Investment Corporation, predecessor of the F. H. Smith Co.

Plaintiffs in the action are Andrew B. and Grace Cauldwell, of 3401 Sixteenth street northwest; Mary H. Farmer, of 1264 Columbia road northwest, and Eva B. Middleton, of 1519 Oak street northwest.

Indicted Last Tuesday.

Zihlman, Crissinger, Pitts, Henry, Maddux, and others were indicted last Tuesday on a charge of using the mails to defraud. Charges that the Smith Co. and the Smith Selling Co. used the mails to sell stock are contained in the bill filed yesterday.

The suit charges that Crissinger and Zihlman permitted the Smith Co. to use their names as directors in consideration of large blocks of stock of the F. H. Smith Co. Crissinger and Zihlman consented and agreed to "become members of the board of directors of the F. H. Smith Co. and to permit the use of their names and the standing which they had acquired as governor of the Federal Reserve Board and member of Congress and a member of the committees, respectively, for advertising purposes and further with a view of selling or offering for sale, and with a view of inducing the public to subscribe to and purchase these various bonds or securities then being offered by the F. H. Smith Co.," the bill charges.

Salary of $30,000.

In addition, the bill sets out, Crissinger was paid $30,000 "for his presence in the office of the company."

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Delegates' Liner Subject of Ruling

Criticism of Plan to Sail on Foreign Vessel Evokes Statement.

Criticism of a plan of the American delegation to the London naval arms conference to travel on a foreign vessel evoked a ruling on the matter yesterday by Comptroller General J. R. McCarl at the request of Secretary of State Stimson.

While no announcement was forthcoming from either the State Department or the Comptroller General's Office, the ruling was known to have sought an interpretation of the Jones-White law, which provides that United States officials must journey on ships flying the American flag whenever possible.

Inasmuch as the best available American liner, the George Washington, is scheduled to sail from New York on January 11 with sufficient time allowed for arrival of the delegation in London for the opening of the conference, its use would be compelled to travel on this comparatively slow cabin ship, lacking luxurious quarters, rather than on one of the newer and more modernly equipped vessels flying other flags.

An announcement regarding this ruling is expected soon.

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Mexican Troops Slay 23 Bandits in Sonora

Force of 200 Rebels, Reported to Be Supporters of Vasconcelos, Are Repulsed After Attack on Federal Detachment.

Nogales, Sonora, Mexico, Dec. 13 (A.P.).—A clash between a band of 200 bandits and a detachment of federal troops at Sahuaripa, a village about 100 miles east of Hermosillo, capital of Sonora, in which three men, including the bandit leader, were killed and 20 prisoners executed, was reported here today.

The encounter was disclosed by Gen. Pablo Macias, commander of federal troops in Sonora, who said he had learned that a rebellious band would attempt to capture the village and establish headquarters for operations in Sonora.

Gen. Juan Rico, commander of federal troops here, scouted the report of a possible revolution, however, declaring he believed the band was but a remnant of the revolutionary army in Sonora last spring which made an unsuccessful attempt to overthrow the government.

Gen. Rico said it was known that a band of about this number was hiding in the Sonora Hills under Roberto Cruz, one of the commanders of the last revolution. He said he believed they had attempted to take the town to obtain supplies.

Gen. Macias said the band was headed by Francisco Flores, a supporter of Jose Vasconcelos, defeated candidate in the recent Mexican presidential election, who is in the United States in exile. Flores and two of his lieutenants died in the battle and 20 of his followers who were captured, were shot.

Mexican officials here said they had information that Cruz had offered to raise an army to aid Vasconcelos in deposing his successful opponent, Pascual Ortiz Rubio, but that Vasconcelos refused the proposal.

DINNER WILL HONOR NEW MEXICAN CHIEF

President-Elect Ortiz Rubio Will Be White House Guest December 26.

MORROW LEAVES CITY

President-elect Pascual Ortiz Rubio of Mexico, now in New York City, will be received by President Hoover at the White House as a distinguished guest on the day after Christmas, it was announced at the White House yesterday.

A state dinner and reception will be tendered him, but the Mexican President-elect will not be an overnight guest at the White House.

On Sunday Ortiz Rubio will go to Baltimore to undergo treatment at Johns Hopkins Hospital and a general examination. It is expected that he will remain in Washington for two or three days. Although the plans have not been worked out, it is assumed that he will stay at the Mexican Embassy, at which King Albert and Queen Elizabeth of Belgium stayed when they were guests of Breckinridge Long, Assistant Secretary of State, on he occasion of their visit to the Capital.

Dwight W. Morrow, Ambassador to Mexico, who has been in Washington on official business for several days, will go to New York to confer with President-elect Ortiz Rubio and former President Calles of Mexico over the week-end.

Although the ambassador did not divulge the exact purpose of his New York trip, he is expected to interpret the conferences being held between Secretary of State Stimson and members of the delegation to the London arms conference. He will return Monday.

Winnings on Race Repay Bank Theft

New York, Dec. 13 (A.P.).—A $1,600-a-year bank clerk whose theft of $10,000 from his employers was not discovered until he paid it back, received a suspended sentence today when he pleaded guilty to second degree grand larceny.

The clerk, Lorne Malloy, 29, obtained last July the signature of Ogden B. Talbot, chief clerk of the Guaranty Trust Co., on a $10,000 check which he said was due another bank. Two months later, when Malloy was on leave of absence, the Guaranty Trust was surprised to receive $10,000 in restitution.

Malloy had won $11,000 on a horse race in London and paid back the money out of his winnings. Judge Cornelius F. Collins placed him on three years probation today.

HORRORS OF REVOLT IN PRISON REVEALED

Auburn Warden Declares Moron Gangster Shot Down Head Keeper.

BARES HOURS OF TERROR

Auburn, N. Y., Dec. 13 (N.Y.W.N.S.). Max Becker, stunted moron from New York's underworld, was named today by Warden Edgar S. Jennings, of Auburn Prison, as the man who fatally wounded George A. Durnford, principal keeper, when a little group of convicts, beyond all hope, shot it out with the Auburn guards in the dark halls of the prison Wednesday last.

Warden Jennings, gray-haired brigadier general in the National Guard, did not see Durnford shot, but heard the story from the men who held him and ten guards as hostages to insure a path to freedom. The path has never opened.

Eight convicts were summarily shot as they fled after the attempted break failed. Becker was wounded and lies in the prison hospital.

"I was told that Becker was the man who actually shot Durnford," Warden Jennings said last night. "This fact seems to be pretty well established now. Becker was standing at the other end of the hall when Durnford came down the steps. He motioned to the principal keeper to come down the hall, indicating that something untoward was going on there. Durnford suspected a trap and turn to go back. Becker shot him."

Additional details of the wild two hours which Warden Jennings and the ten captured guards spent in the hands of the convicts were furnished by the warden tonight after he had spent the afternoon conferring with District Attorney Benn Kenyon and District Attorney-elect Charles Hosmer, who will seek indictments against Becker and others implicated in the bloody uprising.

Gen. Jennings emphatically denied reports that the guard did not behave with proper courage and intelligence during the gun fight. His statement came as State troopers and prison officials continued their search for six pistols, still known to be possibly within reach of the most desperate element of New York State's underworld in Auburn Prison.

The presence of weapons within the prison, together with the homicides attendant with the revolt, will be matters which will be looked into by a special trial term of the supreme court sought by Gov. Franklin D. Roosevelt. The ground work of this inquiry is now being laid by Mr. Kenyon and Mr. Hosmer.

Gen. Jennings said that to the best of his knowledge only two pistols were

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SHATTUCK FEE TO BE $75,000, LOBBYIST SAYS

Lakin Avers President's Lawyer Worked for Low Sugar Duty.

SENATE COMMITTEE HEARS LETTER READ

Attorney Hired Because of Alleged Intimacy With Hoover.

CROWDER, ZABRISKIE ALSO GET MENTION

Former U. S. Envoy and Association Chief Are Called Coworkers.

(Associated Press.)

Inquiring further into the relations between Edwin P. Shattuck and the Cuba Co., the Senate lobby committee learned yesterday that he probably would be paid about $75,000 in view of his prominence "and his intimacy with President Hoover."

Shattuck was employed by H. C. Lakin, president of the Cuba Co., to advocate a low duty on sugar in the pending tariff bill.

The $75,000 sum was mentioned in a letter Lakin wrote to Veriato Cutterez, of the Presidential Palace, Havana, last March, which was read while Lakin was a witness.

"In view of Shattuck's prominence and his intimacy with President Hoover, I expect that we shall pay Shattuck and his partner something like $75,000," the letter said.

Why Shattuck Was Engaged.

Previously Shattuck had testified that he expected to receive "$25,000 or more" for his efforts against imposing a high sugar duty. The Cuba Co., which employed him, has large sugar holdings in Cuba.

Lakin has told the committee that Shattuck, who was Hoover's personal attorney, was employed partly because of his friendship with the President. Lakin said he believed that friendship would enable Shattuck to see the President and that Hoover would have confidence in him.

Questioned yesterday about the employment of Shattuck, the witness said he had been mistaken in believing Shattuck could see the President often.

"He can see the secretaries," he explained.

Shattuck Mentioned in Letters.

Frequent reference to Shattuck were contained in a mass of correspondence read before the committee, which was obtained by a committee investigator from Lakin's files.

In a letter to President Machado, of Cuba, on March 15, Lakin said the "connection" of Shattuck with President Hoover "is our strongest weapon except your efforts and those of your ambassador."

The day before, Lakin wrote to Harry Walter, of Palm Beach, president of the Atlantic Coast Line, that he had employed Shattuck, "who for years has been Hoover's personal attorney."

"Shattuck and I spend two or three days each week in Washington and he has daily access to the President," it added.

Sliding Scale Is Cited.

Frequent references also were contained in the correspondence to a "plan" proposed by President Hoover for the sugar tariff. Lakin testified that he understood it was a sliding scale, but said his information came from the newspapers.

A letter Lakin wrote to W. A. Chadbourne, Otero Manas and Pedro Rodriquez, of Havana, on March 15, said:

"President Hoover has taken a direct hand. He has already suggested a possible solution to Senator Smoot and to Mr. Shattuck. The latter has been working about three weeks on the suggestion and Senator Smoot about a month, but nothing definite has yet resulted.

In the letter to Machado, Lakin said Chairman Smoot, of the Senate

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11 BUNGLING CHARGES SERVED ON SHELBY AND 13 ON KELLY; TRIAL FIXED FOR WEDNESDAY

Clerks Give Al Smith Ovation; Politicians' Attitude Is Chilly

Harris & Ewing.

Former Gov. Al Smith, following his conference with Secretary Adams at the Navy Department, was besieged with admirers, as this picture testifies. In the right foreground (with derby) is shown William F. Kenney, the "Happy Warrior's friend, who accompanied Smith to Washington.

GRUNDY SPEAKS LOW IN FIRST SENATE DAY

Storm Center of Political Debate Attempts to Dodge Limelight.

SIGNS FIRST PAY ROLL

By CARLISLE BARGERON.

"Old Joe" Grundy, whose coming to the Senate was attended by such a fanfare as to take disarmament conferences, Chinese revolutions and other matters of note off the front page, set about yesterday to "talk darned small," the policy which he had previously suggested for the non-high tariff States.

The challenge to his taking of the seat will probably be definitely settled Monday when the Senate privileges and elections committee meets to consider the Nye resolution. Unless there are some intervening developments the committee will immediately report that his appointment by Gov. Fisher is valid and not subject to attack.

Inasmuch as the Senate was shown Thursday to be overwhelmingly against challenging Fisher's right to appoint whomever he pleased, Senator Shortridge said yesterday there was nothing left for his committee to investigate.

In the meantime, the new senator was assigned offices in the Senate Office Building, No. 333, the same number as that of the offices of his American Tariff League in the Transportation Building. And he went downstairs and signed the pay roll, the first time the $25,000,000 or $30,000,000 man had ever signed a payroll in his life. He had to sign this one to receive the mileage to cover his trip from Pennsylvania down here and also for a trip back.

In his amiable way he observed that he did not like the business of the mileage for the return trip as it suggested the coalition was prepared to send him back.

Ever since he has been old enough to vote he has not concerned himself with pay rolls, either the signing or the dispensing of them, except as they may have related to politics, because he went into politics about

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Former Governor Calls at Navy Office on Business.

Passes White House, But Does Not Pay Visit to Hoover.

Alfred E. Smith, who lost in the race for the presidency to President Hoover a year ago, came to Washington yesterday "on business" and was cheered by Government employes.

Smith was in the Capital for about seven hours. The object of his visit was to consult with Secretary of the Navy Adams about erecting a mooring mast for dirigibles atop the new 85-story Empire State Building, to rise on the site of the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel.

When, after losing his way and the taxicab he and William F. Kenny, millionaire contractor, were riding in, and forced to walk over the rain-soaked sidewalks of Washington, Smith reached the Navy Department, 1,000 employes greeted him and cheered him as "Al" and "The Happy Warrior."

New York's former Governor refused resolutely to discuss politics during his visit. He said that he is devoting all of his time to business—"banking, erecting a big building and in trying to land airships."

President Hoover did not invite him to the White House, and Smith did not drop in on the President, although he passed within 30 feet of the White House office in which the President was working at the time. And, although the popular reception given Smith was exceptionally enthusiastic, that accorded him by the politicians—Democratic and Republican—was as markedly cold.

Explaining his failure to call at the White House, invitation or no invitation, Smith said:

"I have been through that sort of thing. I know what it means to have interruptions. The President is a busy man. I don't want to disrupt his schedule."

Later it was learned that Smith was waiting to receive a bid to dro,

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CAR FALLS 50 FEET; TWO DEAD, ONE HURT

Women, Well Known Here, Killed in Auto Wreck at Lynchburg.

BRIDGE RAILING SMASHED

Two women, both well known in Washington, where they have several relatives, were killed and a youth accompanying them was injured, possibly fatally, yesterday afternoon when the automobile in which they were riding crashed through a bridge to the bottom of a 50-foot ravine at the Virginia Episcopal School at Lynchburg, Va.

The two dead are Mrs. Agnus Crawford, 70 years old, for many years a resident of Alexandria, where her late husband, the Rev. Angus Crawford, was dean of the Virginia Theological Seminary, and Mrs. Helen Cole Worthington, 48 years old, wife of Prof. Hugh S. Worthington, head of the modern language department at Sweet Briar College, near Lynchburg.

The injured youth is Morton Wright, 17 years old, of Savannah, Ga., a student at the Episcopal School, where Mrs. Crawford recently had been making her home with her daughter, Mrs. Oscar Dewitt Randolph, wife of the institution's headmaster.

Mrs. Worthington, the former Miss Helen Coale, of Montclair, N. J., was widely known to many Washingtonians as director for many years of Camp Alleghany, near White Sulphur Springs, W. Va., which received a large patronage from young women of this city. She is a daughter-in-law of George Y. Worthington, of 2524 Seventeenth street northwest, and a sister-in-law of George Y. Worthington, jr., of 2122 Leroy place northwest, and William C. Worthington, of 1751 Park road northwest. In company with her husband and their four children, she

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McPherson Case 'Laxity' Is Gone Over Again in Formal Complaint.

INSPECTOR'S CONDUCT BEFORE JURORS CITED

'That Damnable Woman' Remark Made Basis of Specification.

COACHING WITNESSES IN QUIZ LAID TO BOTH

Accused Officers Withhold Comment on Case; Hearing to Be Open to Public.

The charges of inefficiency on which they will go to trial after more than a quarter of a century of service in the Police Department were formally served on Inspector William S. Shelby and Lieut. Edward J. Kelly yesterday. The trial will take place Wednesday.

They are accused to "bungling" in connection with the police investigation of the death of Mrs. Virginia McPherson, who was found dead in her apartment in the Park Lane Apartments on September 14.

The July grand jury said harsh things about Shelby and Kelly which were met with demands by the criticized officers that the jury press their charges in a public investigation or trial. The grand jury members refused to appear before a special investigating board named by the District Commissioners, who had in the meantime removed Shelby from the position of chief of the Detective Bureau and Kelly from the post as commander of the homicide squad which is a part of the Detective Bureau organization.

Neither Makes Any Comment.

Neither Shelby nor Kelly made comment last night on the charges. Both were waiting at police headquarters to have the charges served on them, and as soon as they got their copies they took them to their lawyers. Each wore a smile of relief that the tension and the uncertainty of the last several days had come to an end victoriously for them, for they have been eager for an early public trial.

The trial of Shelby and Kelly is to be begun before a special trial board composed of Maj. L. E. Atkins, assistant Engineer Commissioner; Capt. H. C. Whitehurst, coordinator of the engineer departments, and J. B. Gordon, sanitary engineer. The trial Wednesday morning will be public and will be held in the usual trial board rooms in the Sixth Police Precinct station on New Jersey avenue between D and E streets northwest. Robert E. Lynch and Walter L. Fowler have been designated by William W. Bride to prosecute the charges. Henry I. Quinn and George E. Strong will defend Shelby and James A. O'Shea will defend Kelly.

What part Robert J. Allen, dismissed policeman, will play in the trial is problematical.

Charges Against Shelby.

The charges against Inspector Shelby follow:

"I hereby charge William S. Shelby, an assistant superintendent in the Metropolitan Police Department of the District of Columbia, as follows:

"Charge 1—Inefficiency as evidenced by neglect of duty in violation of paragraph "H," section 22, chapter 17, of the manual governing said force.

Specifications 1 to 11 both inclusive.

"Charge 2—Conduct unbecoming an officer consisting of acts detrimental to good discipline and intended to bring discredit upon the force.

Specifications 1 to 11 both inclusive.

"Charge 3—Conduct prejudicial to the good order and discipline of the Metropolitan Police Department, in violation of paragraph "S," section

House Committee Member Quits Post With De Priest

Alabaman Finds Liking for Job Gone as Negro Is Named to Group.

(Associated Press.)

Because of the assignment of Representative Oscar De Priest, Negro Republican from Illinois, to the enrolled bills committee, Representative Allgood (Democrat), Alabama, resigned yesterday from the committee.

The House accepted the resignation when it was presented by Speaker Longworth.

Explaining his action, Allgood said: "The enrolled bills committee is an honorary committee. I can not serve my district on it and now that the Republican from Chicago has been added to it I do not desire the honor."

De Priest, who also is a native of Alabama, had left for Chicago before Allgood's announcement. He was placed on the committee by the Re-

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AN ENLARGED JUNIOR POST

Beginning tomorrow this popular feature of The Post Tabloid Magazine will be expanded to eight pages—three of which will be devoted to the new children's organization, "The Knighthood of Youth" . . . Juvenile articles, poetry, drawings, etc., will vie in interest with a page of "Things easy to make" and a bird coloring contest in this department of

THE SUNDAY POST

Features in Tomorrow's Post

Since President Hoover's recent series of business conferences to ascertain the state of business, reports on conditions in virtually every industry have reached Washington. The business brains of the nation have collaborated in the compilation which will be presented in The Post tomorrow.

What caused the upheaval in Wall street? Prof. Richard S. Harvey, author of numerous books on law and finance, presents his views on the stock market situation in two special articles, the first of which will appear tomorrow.

Recent outbreaks in Haiti have again directed attention to the affairs of that island republic. The story of an aboriginal jungle reclaimed to civilization, timely and authoritative, by David Rankin Barbee.

Exit the "sit-and-listen" school. An enlightening outline of the purposes and methods of the new platoon school system as put in operation in the Park View School. Written especially for The Post's tabloid magazine section by Lois Little, secretary of the National Association to Study Platoon School Organization.

An interesting review of the five fierce attempts made within the past few months to evacuate some of America's greatest prisons.

Hope of Influenza Vaccine Held as Germ Is Isolated

Girl With Auburn Tresses Provides Workers With Bacteria Culture.

Chicago, Dec. 13 (A.P.).—A stocky, quick-moving young man with a determined set to a somewhat prominent chin sat modestly among test tubes today and said, "We hope."

"We hope," he repeated to a group of newspapermen, "in fact, we have some indications in our experiments that it may be possible to prevent influenza by means of a vaccine sprayed into the throat."

And the newspapermen scurried off to broadcast the "hope" to the world—a hope that got its seed just one year ago, when Dr. Isadore S. Falk and fourteen assistants succeeded in isolating the germ that causes influenza.

For one year Dr. Falk and his assistants, working in the most rickety building on the campus of the Uni-

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An Epic Of The World War

An actual participant describes for the first time the sinking of the Viribus Unitis, in a special article for The Post Tabloid Magazine tomorrow . . . There will also be full pages devoted to books, Uncle Sam and the Home-maker, William Lyon Phelps and the Married Life of Helen and Warren to round out the universal appeal of this intriguing magazine.

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Appears on Pages 5 and 20 Today

23, chapter 17, of the manual governing said force.

Specifications 1 to 11 both inclusive.

"Specification 1—That subsequent to the death of Virginia McPherson and the report that the body had been found in apartment 219, of the Park Lane Apartment, 2025 Eye street northwest, on the 14th day of September, 1929, the said Assistant Superintendent William S. Shelby, as commanding officer of the Detective Bureau of the Metropolitan Police Department, did fail to cause that efficient and business-like investigation into conditions surrounding said death which the circumstances warranted.

"Specification 2—That the said Assistant Superintendent William S. Shelby did fail to require his subordinate to examine all articles and things in the McPherson Apartment for finger prints, and failed to have proper photographs taken of the deceased.

"Specification 3—That the said Assistant Superintendent William S. Shelby did fail to require his subordinate immediately to provide means of identifying every movable article in the McPherson apartment as to name, location and its relation to other objects therein.

"Specification 4—That the said Assistant Superintendent William S. Shelby, commanding officer of the Detective Bureau, did permit a subordinate to summarize or to attempt to summarize the evidence in the said McPherson case and present such summary to the coroner's jury, instead of permitting the jury to examine available witnesses and evidence and draw its own conclusions.

"Specification 5—That the said Assistant Superintendent William S. Shelby, commanding officer of the Detective Bureau, did fail to require written statements of all witnesses and failed to seek out and interview all available witnesses for presentation to the coroner's jury and grand jury.

"Specification 6—That the said Assistant Superintendent William S. Shelby did release or permit to be released, from custody one Robert A. McPherson, jr., prior to establishing and checking the truth of his alibi.

"Specification 7—That the said Assistant Superintendent William S. Shelby did fail to rearrest or cause to be rearrested Robert A. McPherson, jr., after his release and previous to the establishing and checking of the truth of his alibi.

"Specification 8.—That the said Assistant Superintendent William S. Shelby, commanding officer of the Detective Bureau, did, while a witness before the first grand jury investigating the McPherson case, carelessly and negligently testify as to certain facts in connection therewith.

"Specification 9.—That the said Assistant Superintendent William S. Shelby, commanding officer of the Detective Bureau, while on the witness stand before the first grand jury investigating the death of one Virginia McPherson, did raise his fist and state in apparent anger, in substance, as follows: 'This grand jury should indict that man and that damnable woman for perjury.'

"Specification 10.—That the said Assistant Superintendent William S. Shelby, commanding officer of the Detective Bureau, did indicate to witnesses who were to appear before the first grand jury what they should testify to and what they should forget.

"Specification 11.—That the said Assistant Superintendent William S. Shelby did fail to secure a complete signed statement from Robert A. McPherson, jr., concerning all facts and things relevant to the inquiry into the death of his wife, one Virginia McPherson, prior to the opportunity of the said Robert A. McPherson, jr., to communicate with other parties.

"This in the District of Columbia, to the disgrace and discredit of the Metropolitan Police force.

"And on the complaint of Henry G. Pratt, major and superintendent, based upon the report of the special board dated December 4, 1929.

"HENRY PRATT,
"Major and Superintendent of Police.

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"Specification 2.—That the said Lieut. Edward J. Kelly aforesaid, did fail to examine, or cause to be examined, all articles and things in the McPherson apartment for finger prints and did fail to take or have taken proper photographs of the deceased.

"Specification 3.—That the said Lieut. Edward J. Kelly, aforesaid, did fail to exclude, or cause to be excluded, all unauthorized persons from the McPherson apartment.

"Specification 4.—That the said Lieut. Edward J. Kelly, aforesaid, did fail to note, or cause to be noted, the condition of windows, lights, beds, and failed to provide, or cause to be provided, the means of identifying every movable article in the McPherson apartment as to name, location and its relation to other objects therein.

"Specification 5.—That the said Lieut. Edward J. Kelly, aforesaid, failed to have written statements taken from all witnesses regardless of their apparent value and failed to seek out and interview all available witnesses for presentation to the coroner's jury and grand jury.

"Specification 6.—That the said Lieut. Edward J. Kelly, aforesaid, failed to summon all available witnesses to the coroner's inquest that inquired into the death of the said Virginia McPherson, and failed to insist that those summoned be given an opportunity to testify.

"Specification 7—That the said Lieut. Edward J. Kelly, aforesaid, did permit the removal of articles of various kinds from the McPherson apartment prior to a complete investigation; permitted the contents of a toilet bowl to be flushed away without obtaining a sample therefrom for analysis and failed to immediately secure and have analyzed blood found in said apartment.

"Specification 8.—That the said Lieut. Edward J. Kelly, aforesaid, failed to keep adequate notes made at the time of the investigation, and failed to assemble, identify and classify all articles and things found in the McPherson apartment.

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"Major and Superintendent of Police."

Investigation Opened Into Poisoning Orgy

Szolnok, Hungary, Dec. 13 (A.P.).—Investigation into wholesale deaths in this town of 40,000 inhabitants began today with numerous peasant women accused of poisoning their husbands and other relatives. The bodies of more than 30 persons have been exhumed for examination, and the investigation is expected to last a considerable time.

One of the accused women is 81 years of age, and most of them are over middle age. One or two, although declaring themselves innocent of murder, admitted administering poison in food.

Four Washington Jews Are Nationally Honored

Four Washington Jews were honored by being named on the committee which is sponsoring the Jewish Communal Directory of the United States and also Who is Who in American Jewry. These men are Maj. Julius I. Peyser, M. D. Rosenberg, Dr. Abram Simon and Oscar Leonard.

The Jewish Communal Directory and the Who is Who in American Jewry will contain authentic information about Jewish matters for the entire country. The work is being sponsored and indorsed by Jewish leaders from various parts of the United States.

Byrd Honors Memory Of British Explorers

Wellington, New Zealand, Dec. 13 (A.P.).—Commander Richard E. Byrd, replying to congratulations from Sir Charles Ferguson, Governor General of New Zealand, paid tribute to the work of British explorers of the Antarctic.

His message said that one of the results of his South Pole flight had been to increase his respect for Scott, Shackleton and "the other British heroes who did so much more than any one else in exploration and scientific work in Antarctica."

Woman Leaps to Death Amid Shopping Throng

New York, Dec. 13 (A.P.).—An unidentified woman shopper leaped to her death today from the eighth-story window of L. Altman's department store in East Thirty-fourth street.

Her body narrowly missed pedestrians in the crowded street below. Police reserves were called out to untangle traffic and restore order among excited women shoppers.

Woman Divorces Mate Who Attempted Suicide

Denver, Dec. 13 (A.P.).—William Bryan Quigley, young Denver and New York attorney, who is recovering here from a self-inflicted bullet wound, failed to appear by proxy in district court today and allowed his estranged wife to obtain an uncontested preliminary decree of divorce.

COMMERCIAL PACT TO BE AIM OF EDGE

U. S. Envoy's Tactfulness Is Lauded by Press Upon Arrival in Paris.

GETS CORDIAL RECEPTION

Paris, Dec. 13 (A.P.).—Ambassador Walter E. Edge, who arrived here today to take up his post, told the Associated Press tonight that the negotiation of a commercial treaty between France and the United States would be the first important question he would take up with the French government.

He will make his first call on Foreign Minister Briand tomorrow morning and they probably will fix the date on which Edge is to present his credentials to President Doumergue.

The new Ambassador, who succeeds the widely-esteemed Myron T. Herrick, impressed the French with his tactfulness in delivering a message of greeting through the French press as soon as he had disembarked from the French liner Ile de France at Havre.

He has come to France as a student who wants to learn how best to promote businesslike and sensible relations with the United States. He said that one of his first projects is to visit the great French industrial centers, such as Lyons, Lille and Marseilles. He wants to "visit the factories" to get first-hand knowledge of conditions and needs of French industry. In this way he hopes to be able to begin negotiations for a practical commercial agreement, which is lacking at present between France and the United States.

The new Ambassador gave French newspapermen a prepared statement which said:

"I am delighted to reach your country. It is with genuine enthusiasm that I will undertake the responsibility intrusted to me by President Hoover of maintaining and perpetuating the deep friendship that has existed always between France and the United States.

"I clearly recognize the difficulties of following my old friend, Mr. Herrick, whose labors and memory we all revere. Our problems, however, are never so difficult that clear understandings can not be evolved. I know I will have the generous cooperation of you all."

$20,000 WORTH OF SETTERS

Henry Miller Service.

Ernest Smoot, son of Senator Reed Smoot, of Utah, with two of his prize setters, Patches and Delaware Kate, following visit to White House where he showed his dogs, valued at $10,000 each, to President Hoover.

SENATORS IN FAVOR OF HUGE TAX SLICE

$160,000,000 Reduction for Incomes Is Considered Instead of Tariff.

SIMMONS BACKS SLASH

(Associated Press.)

Adoption of the $160,000,000 income tax reduction resolution by the Senate today seemed in prospect as an overwhelming majority lined up on the proposal during yesterday's debate.

Inability of Republicans to agree on an hour today for a final vote, however, blocked proposals offered to that end last night by Chairman Smoot of the finance committee.

The tax resolution was taken up in place of the tariff measure yesterday by a vote of 60 to 15.

Freight Rate Reduction Defeated.

A substitute offered by Senator McMasters (Republican), South Dakota, proposing instead of a tax cut that a $100,000,000 agricultural freight rate reduction plan be formulated by the Interstate Commerce Commission, was rejected, 60 to 12.

Several times the Senate seemed on the verge of agreeing to an hour for a vote, but after Senators McMaster, Howell, of Nebraska, and Brookhart, of Iowa, had withdrawn objections Senator Jones of Washington, the assistant Republican leader, refused to abide by a proposal to vote at 4 p. m. today, and the Senate quit for the night. Jones explained that he did not want opportunity shut off for the consideration of amendments.

Borah Sees Corporations' Bonus.

The Republican independents, led by Senators Norris, of Nebraska, and Borah, of Idaho, looked upon the tax resolution as a bonus to those who had been involved in the stock market collapse and urged instead that the Treasury surplus be applied to the reduction of the war debt. This group, however, centered its attention on the proposed 1 per cent cut in the corporation tax, contending that the corporations already had passed the tax on to the consumers and the reduction in their taxes for next year would just amount to a bonus.

Senator Simmons, of North Carolina, the ranking Democrat on the finance committee, supported the resolution, and an almost solid line-up of Democrats and Republican regulars for the tax slash was apparent in the roll calls.

R. C. A. President Denies Monopoly

Merging of Patent Rights Has Created New Arts, Harbord Asserts.

(Associated Press.)

Charges of monopoly against the Radio Corporation of America were denied before the Senate interstate commerce committee yesterday by its president, James G. Harbord. He said the merging of many patent rights by the corporation had not obtained control of an existing art for it, but had created many new arts.

"Let this patent unification be at an end tomorrow," he continued, "let each organization operate only under their own inventions and not use those licensed to them by others, and on that day will topple the whole structure of service which radio is rendering for the benefit and the entertainment of the American people."

The former chief of staff of the A. E. F., who left 33 years of Army life to become head of the Radio Corporation, testified that modern radio receiving sets, broadcast transmitters, international radio circuits directly connecting the United States with 32 foreign countries, effective communication with and between ships, the highest class of talking machines with and without pictures, all had been made possible through the "patent unification so often denounced."

JOHNSON HITS PRESS CLIPPINGS IN RECORD

Putting Advertisements and News Stories in Senate Proceedings Rapped.

TARIFF APPEAL ARGUED

A renewal of the row in the Senate precipitated earlier in the week by publication of an advertisement in The Washington Post signed by 130 Minnesota editors asking immediate passage of the Hawley-Smoot tariff bill yesterday drew from Senator Johnson (Republican), California, the remark, "I am sick and tired of seeing newspaper articles published in the Congressional Record."

"We have a duty here ourselves and I don't give a rap for the views of spokesmen of editors or for the criticisms of newspapers," Johnson declared. "I wih they would begin to criticize one another and let us do our work."

"Nothing has contributed so much to the fabric of public opinion in this country as the newspaper editors," replied Senator Allen (Republican), Kansas, who had caused the renewal of hostilities by presenting the name of 31 additional Northwestern editors who shared the views set forth in the first advertisement.

Johnson Makes Hot Retort.

"And nothing so detracts from a man in public life as his constant reiteration of what may be published in the newspapers," oJhnson retorted to Allen.

Senator Norris (Republican), Nebraska, one of the Republican insurgent leaders, read telegrams from Charles P. Kleinman, president of the Northwestern Agricultural Association, and Fay Cravens, editor of the Mille Lac County (Minnesota), Times, disagreeing with the attitude expressed by the editors who signed the advertisement.

"We are convinced that the statement to Congress by the editors of some of the rural newspapers of Minnesota and sponsored by one of the leading newspapers of Minneapolis does not represent the opinion or the sentiment of the farmers of Minnesota or the Midwest," Kleinman's message said. "The battle of the coalition group on the tariff is being waged on the correct principle."

Allen Has Last Word.

Cravens' telegram to Norris advised the enator to "stick to your guns and pay no attention to the petition of the reactionary editors of Minnesota."

Allen had the last word.

"Ithink the editors are somewhat confused by the reception of their advice to us," he said. "I think they have the idea we have become supersensitive. The impression is growing that this attitude of ours in seeking to bull doze our detractors is an evidence of our weakness."

Subdued Curses Not "Disorderly"

Profanity Must Be Heard in Street to Support Arrest, Court Says.

To be disorderly a person must use profane language and must speak loudly enough to be heard in a public thoroughfare. This was the substance of a ruling yesterday in Police Court by Judge Ralph E. Given, in pursuance to which he dismissed charges of disorderly conduct against 24 persons.

The judge questioned policemen who booked the charges as to whether they could swear that profane language had been used by the defendants. Told by the policemen that they could not, the judge declared he was tired of such cases being brought into court and promptly issued dismissals.

Most of the 24 defendants were arraigned on disorderly charges ar a result of police raids on premises where liquor was supposed to be.

DAY IN CONGRESS

SENATE.

Met at noon and recessed at 5:18 to 11 today.

Began consideration of the tax reduction resolution.

Rejected 60 to 12 a substitute for the resolution which would have had the Interstate Commerce Commission formulate a plan that would reduce freight rates on farm products by $100,000,000.

Chairman Shortridge, of the committee on privileges and elections, called a meeting for Monday to consider the Nye resolution denying a seat to Senator Grundy (Republican), Pennsylvania.

C. L. Stealey, former general manager of the Oklahoma Cotton Growers Association, told an investigating subcommittee that Carl Williams, cotton representative on the Federal Farm Board, was to blame for the board's failure to stabilize cotton and wheat prices.

Senate District committee favorably reported the Capper bill to provide free textbooks to local high school students and the Shipstead bill to regulate private buildings near Federal buildings and parks in this city.

HOUSE.

Met at noon and adjourned at 4:05 to noon today.

Appropriations committee reported the Agriculture Department appropriation bill, carrying a total of $153,255,460.

Committee on public buildings and grounds reported the Elliott bill authorizing $230,000,000 to continue the Federal building program, half of which will be spent in the States and half in Washington, and $9,740,000 for a new Supreme Court building.

Representative Allgood (Democrat), Alabama, resigned from the committee on enrolled bills because Oscar De Priest, colored Republican, of Illinois, had been made a member of the committee.

BATTERED BY GALE, BREMEN DOCKS LATE

50-Foot Waves Are Part of Worst Storm Ever Seen by Her Captain.

ONE PASSENGER INJURED

New York, Dec. 13 (A.P.).—The North German liner Bremen, speed queen of the Atlantic, docked at her Brooklyn pier today three days late in her crossing from Cherbourg because of a battle against a gale of such proportions as never before experienced by Capt. Leopold Ziegenbein in all his days on the northern seas.

Waves 50 feet high and a howling gale reduced the run of the Bremen, Transatlantic record holder, on one day to a mere 120 miles. She usually makes 700 miles a day.

Capt. Ziegenbein said the storm lasted nearly the entire voyage, retarding the liner's time to seven days and seven hours, whereas she usually makes the trip in less than five days.

Reports of 10 Hurt Denied.

Reports that ten or more passengers suffered serious injuries by being knocked about by the storms were denied by the North German Lloyd Line officials, who said that Otto Paschlen, of Mount Vernon, N. Y., was the only passenger injured. The line officers said his injuries were slight and that he went to his home after the ship docked.

Ventilators and stanchions were broken by the heavy waves which washed over the Bremen's bow and several doors were reported shattered by furniture sliding about.

Storm Hits Three Liners.

The Bremen was the third big liner from Europe in the last two days which encountered the severe North Atlantic storm. The liners Berengaria and France docked yesterday, two days late. Both were scarred by the huge waves. A cook on the Berengaria was injured, but none was hurt on the France. The France brought along its channel pilot and one passenger who were unable to get off the boat at Plymouth because of the heavy seas.

Coastwise shipping was delayed today by a heavy fog and vessels entering the harbor proceeded with caution and delay. The Cunard liner Ausonia, from Southampton, via Halifax, the French liner La Bourdonnais and the United Fruit freighter Iriona, from Central America, were all delayed in the harbor by fog.

University Women Hear Dr. McHale's Address

Dr. Kathryn McHale, national educational secretary and acting director of the American Association of University Women, was the guest of honor and speaker at a dinner given at the Washington branch last night at the clubhouse, 1634 I street northwest.

The speaker complimented the Capital group for setting an example by pledging $40,000 to endow an international fellowship. Dr. Mandel Sherman also spoke.

Rev. Samuel A. Eliot To Preach in Capital

The Rev. Samuel A. Eliot, minister of the Arlington Street Church, in Boston, and son of the late Charles W. Eliot, president of Harvard University, will preach tomorrow morning at the All Souls Unitarian Church.

Dr. Eliot was for more than 25 years president of the American Unitarian Association and is now minister of the church made famous by William Ellery Channing, Brooke Herford and Paul Revere Frothingham.

Preachers' College Conference Ended

Maryland Clerics Conclude Week of Sessions at Cathedral.

Clergymen from Maryland parishes of the diocese of Washington yesterday closed a week's conference at the College of Preachers of Washington Cathedral. The sessions began Monday.

Speakers included the Right Rev. James E. Freeman, Bishop of Washington; the Right Rev. Philip M. Rhinelander, warden of the College of Preachers; the Rev. Dr. Anson Phelps Stokes, canon of Washington Cathedral, and Dr. William C. Sturgis, former educational secretary of the department of missions of the Protestant Episcopal Church.

Among the clergymen in attendance were the Rev. Alfred Cheetham, of Silver Spring; the Rev. Fred A. Cook, of Oakley; the Rev. Guy H. Crook, of Poolesville; the Rev. Charles E. Crusoe, of Aquasco; the Rev. Philip Dales, of Olney; the Rev. Morris Derr, of Bladensburg; the Rev. Joseph P. Gibson, of Chaptico; the Rev. Aubrey C. Gilmore, of Marlboro; the Rev. F. L. Metcalf, of Mechanicsville; the Rev. F. Alan Parsons, of Mitchellville; the Rev. J. L. Showell, of Hughesville, and the Rev. Thomas D. Windiate, LL. D., of Kensington.

GEN. AULTMAN RITES TODAY

Ranking Brigadier's Burial to Be Held at Arlington.

Brig. Gen. Dwight E. Aultman, 57, ranking brigadier general in the Army, will be buried today in Arlington Cemetery. He died suddenly Thursday morning in the Walter Reed Hospital. Services will be held at 11 this morning in the Fort Myer Chapel.

He was born in Allegheny, Pa., in 1872 and was graduated from West Point in 1894. For service in the Spanish-American War he received several citations. He later served in the Philippines, Germany, Hawaii and at the Army War College here.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Alma Aultman; a son, Dwight E. Aultman, jr.; two daughters, Mrs. R. A. Howard and Mrs. Mark F. Doty.

FUNERAL OF MRS. BYRD.

Obsequies Slated to Be Held at Residence This Forenoon.

Funeral services for Mrs. Carolyn Van Antwerp Byrd, who shot herself Thursday afternoon at her home because of grief over the death of her husband, will be held at 11:30 o'clock this morning at her late residence, 5843 Potomac avenue northwest. Burial will follow in Rock Creek Cemetery.

Mrs. Byrd, said to be a distant relative of the noted Byrd family of Virginia, leaves a son, Harry B. Byrd, jr., a real estate man and former naval officer.

Organ to Be Dedicated.

The new chapel organ at Fort Monroe will be dedicated tomorrow by the Rev. Wallace Radcliffe, of Washington. Dr. Radcliffe will preach a special sermon. He represents the Presbyterian Church in the appointment of Army and Navy chaplains.

PHILIPPINE FREEDOM DEMAND IS PUSHED

U. S. and Island Interests in Conflict, House Told by Commissioners.

FULFILL PROMISE, PLEA

(Associated Press.)

Demonds that the United States fulfill its promise to grant Philippine independence were made in the House yesterday by Commissioners Osias and Guevara, who said the interests of the islands would be better served if removed from American control.

Naming dire consequences predicted for the Philippines if they were made freed, Osias asked:

"Is it possible Americans are more concerned in our national or international safety than we are?"

Guevara said: "The economic interests of the United States and the Philippine Islands are entirely in conflict."

Beedy Opposes Move.

The topic was brought up by Guevara in a prepared speech. Representative Beedy (Republican), Maine, a member of the insular affairs committee, replied, "If the United States withdrew today, it would be the most cruel blow that could be struck to that people."

Osias soon was on his feet, holding a copy of the agricultural bill then under discussion.

He pointed out that the bill provides for no expenditures in the islands, although money is provided for other American possessions.

Time Has Come, Is Belief.

"Our objective is different," he shouted. "We desire that fulfillment of America's promise may now be made. The Filipinos believe the time has come."

Representative Edwards (Democrat), Georgia, supported the plea, saying, "When the islands can send to this Congress men of the type of the two now here, the Philippines are ready for their freedom."

Representative Hooper (Republican), Michigan, said the applause which greeted the island commissioners was an "adequate answer to the charge that the United States is an imperialistic Nation."

Two Youths Arrested In Robbery of Grocery

Caught in the act of robbing a Sanitary Grocery Store, at the corner of Eleventh street and Maryland avenue southwest, according to police, two youths were taken to the Fourth Precinct early yesterday morning where their names were being linked with other robberies later in the day.

The two youths gave their names as Herbert J. Brown, 21 years old, of School street near Fourth street southwest, and Richard Swann, 19 years old, of C street near Tenth street southwest. They were arrested by Policeman Earl D. Alber, of the Fourth Precinct. Alber said he saw the boys breaking into the store from across the street. The youths tried to escape by breaking through a plate glass window, he said.

Hurley to Breakfast With Committeemen

With a view to getting the new Secretary of War better acquainted with the legislators, with whom he will come incontact during his term of office, Walter Newton, secretary to the President, has invited Secretary Hurley, Representative James, of Michigan, chairman of the House military committee, and the members of that committee and the subcommittee on military appropriations to breakfast this morning in the House restaurant.

Following the breakfast Representative James' committee will hold its organization meeting, four new members having been appointed.

BARNES' PROGRAM RAISES NORRIS' IRE

Business Advisory Leader Sees More Telephones in Every Home.

TWO AUTOS TO FAMILY

(Associated Press.)

The program of Julius Barnes, chairman of President Hoover's business advisory committee, for two automobiles and two telephones in American homes was criticized in the Senate yesterday by Senator Norris (Republican), Nebraska, as one tending toward luxury purchases.

The Nebraskan contended that instead of this program, Barnes should be advising the public that it should not go in debt for luxuries and that nothing should be purchased on credit unless it was needed in business as a necessity.

Senator Borah (Republican), Idaho, said he had listened to the recent radio address of Barnes and had observed no mention of agriculture.

Borah Says Bread Eating Aid.

"I read yesterday a statement that the American people eat one-half the amount of bread consumed in France and England," Borah added. "If Barnes had made a plea for the American people to eat twice as much bread instead of having two cars and two automobiles that would aid agriculture."

Barnes, who has been summoned before the Senate lobby committee for questioning next Tuesday in regard to reports that he has opposed the formation by the Federal Farm Board of Grain Marketing Cooperatives, also was assailed by Senator Wheeler (Democrat), Montana.

Says Barnes Aids Grain Gamblers.

"The grain dealers," Wheeler asserted, "ought to be assured because of the fact that Barnes, who is the President's close adviser, is looking after the interests of the grain gamblers, and not only that but, likewise, Newton and Akerson (secretaries to President Hoover), who have always been the spokesmen for the grain interests in the city of Minneapolis, are both close to the President of the United States."

Wheeler also read a newspaper article which said it was understood at the White House that several years would be required before the "farmers would really get anything out of the farm board."

Wife-Slayer Ends Life By Hanging in His Cell

Lubbock, Tex., Dec. 13 (A.P.).—Clay Lester, 36, convicted wife slayer, hanged himself in the jail here today.

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Knickers . . . . . $4.85 to $12.50
Slippers . . . . . $3 to $5
Gloves . . . . . $3.65 to $7.50
Handkerchiefs . . . . 25c to $1.50
Neckwear . . . . . $1 to $6
Shirts . . . . . $1.85 to $8.65
Pajamas . . . . . $2 to $20
Hosiery . . . . . 50c to $3.50
Underwear . . . . $1.25 to $7.25
Trench Coats . . . $10 to $39.50
Hats . . . . . $3.50 to $12
Dress Sets . . . . $3.50 to $12.50
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'VICTIM' OF TORTURE IDENTIFIED BY SEVEN

All Say "Connie Franklin" Lived With Them Before Girl Told Story.

CLOSE FRIEND UNCERTAIN

Mountain View, Ark., Dec. 13 (A.P.).—Seven residents of O'Neil, Ark., tonight identified the youth who claims to be Connie Franklin as the Connie Franklin, who lived among them a week before he was brought here for possible identification as the man alleged to have been mutilated and burned alive last spring.

The "positive" identification came less than three hours after Coleman Foster failed to recognize the man as the Connie Franklin, who was formerly his intimate friend.

A Mr. and Mrs. Saterle, at whose home Franklin spent one night in January, before coming to the St. James community, asserted the youth was the Connie Franklin they knew when he confronted them this afternoon in the presence of Prosecuting Attorney Hugh Williamson and Defense Attorney W. O. Edmondson. The identification took place at their home 25 miles from here.

A daughter of the Saterles also identified the youth.

Lloyd and Hook Hull, with whom "Franklin" stayed one week after he left the Saterle home, also were positive the youth was Franklin. Franklin and Lloyd had worked together in a section crew on the railroad during the week Franklin spent at O'Neil.

Horace Luster, another youth acquainted with Franklin during his stay at O'Neil, also declared the youth was Franklin.

The seven persons declared Franklin left O'Neil on a Sunday morning for Mountain View, and previous disclosures revealed that Franklin had arrived for the first time in the St. James Community on a Sunday night.

SUIT ASKS RECEIVER FOR SMITH COMPANY

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while Zihlman was paid certain sums of money as "salary, commissions or directors' fees."

Charge is made that between December 31, 1926, and December 31, 1928, "for purposes of selling stock," the capital stock of the company was increased from $1,100,000 to $7,000,000 and that the surplus and reserve was increased from approximately $900,000 to $3,059,258.31. Actually the suit sets out the capital stock of the company on June 30, 1928, was $5,849,019.94, while the surplus of that date was $1,981,603.72.

Charge also is made that most of the $7,000,000 in capital stock was sold through the mails and that it was sold at a price of $100 a share.

Allegation is made that title to property held by the Smith Co. ordinarily was held in the name of some clerk employed by the concern or some other persons acting for it. Usually the person in whose name the property was held was selected by the defendants, the suit charges.

Zihlman's Alleged Advice.

Pitts and Henry received salaries from the F. H. Smith Co. aggregating as much as $90,000 a year, the suit sets out.

Additional charge is made that services rendered by Pitts and Henry "were not for the benefit or in the interest of the stockholders of the F. H. Smith Co., but were solely for their own individual gain and benefit."

Allegation is made that an investor who purchased $20,000 worth of bonds on a Smith Co. property in Philadelphia consulted Zihlman and was informed that the bonds were well secured and that the representative would buy more of them if he had the funds.

The plaintiffs in the suit also request that the court require Donaldson to return $35,000 and other funds which it was said he had received from the Boyle Robertson Co. while acting as attorney for the F. H. Smith Investment Co.

DIED

AULTMAN—On Thursday, December 12, 1929, at Walter Reed Hospital, Brig. Gen. DWIGHT E. AULTMAN. Funeral services at chapel, Fort Myer, Va., on Saturday, December 14, at 11 a. m. Interment at Arlington National Cemetery.

BENNETT—On Thursday, December 12, 1929, KATE FLINT, widow of A. B. Bennett. Funeral from her late residence, 3420 Mount Pleasant street northwest, on Saturday, December 14, at 11 a. m. Interment at Arlington National Cemetery.

DRANEY—On Thursday, December 12, 1929, in Chicago, Ill., VIRGIE, beloved wife of William H. Draney.

EMAS—On Wednesday, December 11, 1929, at his residence, 614 Massachusetts avenue northwest, WILLIAM, beloved husband of Carrie Emas, aged forty years. Funeral from the Nevius funeral home, 924 New York avenue northwest, on Saturday, December 14, at 2 p. m. Interment at Addison Chapel, Md.

ENGLE—On Thursday, December 12, 1929, at 9:45 p. m., at her residence, 3915 Mount Pleasant street northwest, BONNIE O., beloved wife of Clarence G. Engle and mother of Robert O. Engle, aged forty-four years. Funeral services at the S. H. Hines Co.'s funeral home, 2901 Fourteenth street northwest, on Saturday, December 14, at 3 p. m.

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GUARD MINES WITH MACHINE GUNS

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Illinois National Guardsmen with machine guns commanding an approach to the Peabody Coal Co. mines at Kincaid, Ill., where miners are on strike. A group of strikers can be seen across the track.

HAITI INQUIRY PLEA TO COME UP TODAY

Hoover's Request Will Be Considered at Meeting of House Committee.

U. S. ENTRANCE UPHELD

(Associated Press.)

President Hoover's request for a commission of inquiry into the Haitian situation, translated into a resolution by Chairman Porter, of the House foreign affairs committee, will be considered by that group today with testimony from representatives of the State Department.

Joseph P. Cotton, Undersecretary; Wilbur J. Carr, Assistant Secretary, and Dana G. Munro, chief of the Division of Latin-American Affairs, have been called to give their views. Another resolution which will be considered is that of Representative Fish, Republican, New York, who proposed an investigation into the American administration in the island republic.

In the House yesterday, Representatives Beedy, of Maine, and Hooper, of Michigan, Republicans, said conditions in Haiti were "miserable" and "unsafe" until the United States took a hand in its affairs.

Beedy said America's entrance meant the alleviation of much physical suffering, misery and disease, and added: "Let us stay as long as we see a moral justification to be there."

Hooper said that until Woodrow Wilson intervened, the island had a history of "blood and oppression," the natives being the "most downtrodden in the world."

Naval Delegates Confer Six Housr

Session Is Moved Bodily to Metropolitan Club for Luncheon.

(Associated Press.)

A six-hour session, unbroken even for lunch, was spent by Secretary Stimson and the delegates to the forthcoming naval conference yesterday in their third meeting in preparation for the parley.

The delegates assembled at the State Department after the meeting of the Cabinet, leaving at 1:30 p. m. in cars for the Metropolitan Club, where the discussions were continued in a private dining room.

As was the case with the two previous sessions, the delegates and their naval and diplomatic advisers reviewed the work of other arms conferences and continued the discussions of questions of policy and problems which are expected to come up at the London parley.

Man Shoots Wife Dead, Then Ends His Own Life

Houston, Tex., Dec. 13 (A.P.).—Virgus Couch, 35, returned home this afternoon after an absence from his estranged wife, Berna, 22, shot her to death and then ended his own life with the same pistol.

Lady Higham Granted Divorce.

London, Dec. 13 (A.P.).—Lady Higham, wife of Sir Charles Higham, prominent advertising expert, today was granted a divorce on grounds of misconduct. Lady Higham was formerly Mrs. Eloise Rowe Ellis, daughter of the late John Charles Rowe, of Buffalo.

DIED

FARQUHAR—On Friday, December 13, 1929, at 6:15 p. m., at her residence, 3405 Prospect avenue northwest, MARY ANN, beloved wife of the late Charles Farquhar, and mother of Mrs. Harry F. Ashton and Mrs. Mamie F. Cook, of Washington, D. C., and Mr. George B. Farquhar, of Manassas, Va. Notice of funeral later.

GWINN—Suddenly, on Wednesday, December 11, 1929, CHARLES L., beloved husband of Mary E. Gwinn, of 115 Kentucky avenue southeast. Funeral from the above residence on Saturday, December 14, at 11 a. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment at Mount Olivet Cemetery. (Baltimore Sun please copy.)

HASKINS—On Wednesday, December 11, 1929, at 10:25 p. m., at Sibley Memorial Hospital, ELIZABETH V., wife of the late John R. Haskins, aged seventy-eight years. Funeral services at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Julius A. Hobson, 1802 Thirty-seventh street northwest, on Saturday, December 14, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited to attend. Interment at Arlington National Cemetery.

RANDALL—On Thursday, December 12, 1929, at her residence, 2912 Georgia avenue northwest, JENNIE E., beloved wife of the late Joseph M. Randall. Funeral services at the S. H. Hines Co. funeral home, 2901 Fourteenth street northwest, on Saturday, December 14, at 2 p. m. Interment at Rock Creek Cemetery.

RING—On Thursday, December 12, 1929, at Garfield Hospital, TIMOTHY M., beloved husband of the late Mary A. A. Ring (nee Sweeney). Funeral from his late residence, 1814 Kearney street northeast, on Saturday, December 14, at 9 a. m.; thence to St. Francis De Sales Church, where requiem mass will be said at 9:30 for the repose of his soul. Interment at Mount Olivet Cemetery. Relatives and friends invited.

RING—Members of Potomac Council, No. 435, Knights of Columbus, are hereby notified of the death of Brother TIMOTHY M. RING, first grand knight and charter member of Potomac Council. Funeral from his late residence, 1814 Kearney street northeast, on Saturday, December 14, at 9 a. m.; thence to St. Francis De Sales Church, where requiem mass will be said at 9:30 a. m. for the repose of his soul. Members of Potomac Council are requested to attend.
(Signed) GEORGE F. HOWELL, Grand Knight.
WALTER I. PLANT, Financial Secretary.

STONE—On Wednesday, December 11, 1929, HARRY H., beloved son of Mrs. William V. Stone. Funeral from the parlors of James T. Ryan, 317 Pennsylvania avenue southeast, on Saturday, December 14, at 8:30 a. m.; thence to St. Joseph's Church, where mass will be said at 9 a. m. for the repose of his soul. Relatives and friends invited. Interment at Mount Olivet Cemetery.

BORNO OUSTER HELD SOLE HAITI REMEDY

Natives Won't Be Satisfied Till President Is "Fired," Former Aid Declares.

EDITOR WANTS U. S. IN

Por au Prince, Dec. 13 (A.P.).—Andre Chevalier, former postmaster general, today told an Associated Press correspondent that Haiti would be satisfied only when President Louis Borno is removed. He charged that the Borno administration afforded no personal liberties whatsoever and that this "oppression" existing throughout Haiti was partly responsible for the recent trouble.

Chevalier said his retirement from the Borno cabinet had been prompted by unwillingness to participate in "political policies tending to enslave." He now is a candidate for the presidency himself.

"Haiti is now well in a vise-like grip by a few persons, with President Borno compelling absolute acceptance of his dictates under penalties of arrest or worse," he said

U. S. Supervision Sought.

Ernest Chauvet, publisher of the newspaper Le Houvelliste, which suspended publication on the declaration of martial law last week and which constantly has opposed the Borno administration, said today:

"The present system of treating the people like slaves can not continue without trouble. Haiti will never believe any presidential election is fair until there is one under supervision by the United States."

He accused the president of usurpation of power, and said it was anticipated that Borno would attempt to reestablish himself for a third term of six years, although the president has denied he would be a candidate again.

Four Occupation Foes in Race.

Four Antioccupation candidates already have been announced. They are Gen. Charles Zamor, once a powerful Cacox chief and a brother of a former president; Pauleus Sannon, leader of the "Black party;" Stenio Vincent and Antonine Pierre Paul, who was charged by Marine Corps officers with having led a jail delivery in 1925 and who is known as a radical labor leader. The last named now is serving a prison term for sedition.

The list of Prooccupation candidates is headed by Chevalier, and there probably will be seven others. Among them are Antonine San Saricq, minister of foreign affairs; Leon Dejean, now minister to the Dominican republic and formerly at Washington; Abel Leger, Charles Fombrun, former Minister to London, and Col. Nemours, former Minister to Paris and Rome.

82 MEN AND WOMEN HELD IN MINE RIOTS

Illinois Deputies Endeavor to Curb Disturbances of Coal Strikers.

UNION OFFICIAL SEIZED

Taylorville, Ill., Dec. 13 (A.P.).—Seeking to curb disturbances accompanying the National Miners Union coal strike, which has resulted in closing six mines in this territory, Christian County authorities today arrested 66 miners and 16 women and girls on charges of rioting and disturbing the peace.

The tiny Christian County Jail, with accommodations for only 40, tonight held 60 persons, among whom were the leaders of the auto caravan of striking miners which has visited nine coal mines within a radius of 27 miles since Monday night.

None of the mines in Christian County resumed operations today. A small force of miners, who returned to Peabody Mine No. 8 at Tovey yesterday, were at work again today under protection of a force of special deputies.

Sheriff Identifies Prisoners.

The largest number of arrests was at Nokomis, where Sheriff H. C. Hill and 60 deputies held 300 men and women in the business district for three hours until Sheriff D. L. Dunbar, of Christian County, arrived to identify members of the National Miners Union for whom warrants had been issued.

Sheriff Hill, having been warned of the intended picketing of Mine No. 10 of the Indiana & Illinois Coal Corporation at Nokomis today, stationed his deputies at the outskirts of the business district.

When the caravan of 74 automobiles and one large truck arrived, deputies herded the group into a city block and held them there at the point of shotguns, revolvers and a submachine gun.

39 Miners Are Jailed.

Sheriff Dunbar, accompanied by W. C. Argust, general superintendent of the Peabody mines in Christian County, arrived about 8:30 o'clock and immediately proceeded to place the men under arrest. Thirty-nine miners were jailed on charges of rioting and inciting to riot.

Henry Carbishley, State secretary of the N. M. U., was arrested at Cello, Ill.

Mine No. 10, at Nokomis, was operated this morning with a force of 350 men. It usually employs 600. Five picketers, who were seized at the entrance of the mine, were lodged in the Nokomis County Jail at Hillsboro on chargs of carrying deadly weapons.

Women Arrested at Tovey.

The remainder of today's arrests were made at Bulpitt, near Mine No. 8, at Tovey, by Illinois National Guardsmen in command of Maj. Kenneth Buchanan, of Urbana. Sixteen women and young girls and seven men were arrested by the militia when they refused to disperse.

Resisting arrest, the girls scratched and struck the guardsmen, who placed them in a railroad coach to transport them to Taylorville. This group was turned over to county authorities here and held on charges of disturbing the peace. Two women prisoners were released on recognizance bonds.

Fifteen more miners were arrested here tonight and the sheriff held warrants for 60 more. Eight men were releasing on bonds of $900 each. They face charges of rioting and inciting to riot.

National Guard officers examined the records of the prisoners tonight with a view of deporting any who were not naturalized. They announced that four women prisoners were found to be aliens and that proceedings would be started in an effort to have them sent out of the country.

NAVY CROWD GREETS "AL" SMITH ON VISIT

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in on his recent political rival, while the President was expecting Smith to call on him. In the mix-up the two outstanding Americans did not meet.

There were a number of amusing incidents connected with Al Smith's third visit to Washington. One was the appearance again of the Al Smith brown derby, of fame in the campaign days. Another was the averting of a near-accident when the Smith party, riding in a Navy automobile, almost ran down Senator Borah, President Hoover's stanchest supporter, in the preelection days.

Taxi Driver Makes Mistake.

Then Smith, accompanied by Kenny, was deposited by a taxi driver in the wrong place and was forced to walk along the sidewalks and bridle paths of Washington to the Secretary of the Navy's office, thus holding up a meeting of the President's Cabinet.

And just before the Government employes put on the demonstration for Smith, Ambassador Dwight W. Morrow to Mexico, American delegate to the London disarmament conference, father-in-law of Col. Lindbergh, Senate possibility, &c., passed through the same crowd without being recognized.

It is known that invitations were available to Smith to visit both the Senate and the House of Representatives. He declined them both, contenting himself with going to Senator Wagner's office and remaining there until it was time to return to New York on Kenny's private car.

Just one visitor, except a number of Al Smith fans among the Senate employes, visited Smith during his hour's stay in Senator Wagner's office. The caller was Jouette Shouse, chairman of the executive committee of the Democratic national committee.

"No Politics," Says Shouse.

"There was absolutely no politics in our talk," Shouse said. "Al Smith is devoting himself to his many and important business interests. He has plenty to do, he tells me."

Senator Joseph T. Robinson, of Arkansas, Smith's running mate as Democratic nominee for Vice President, did not see Smith. Senator Copeland did not call. It was said that Senator Robinson was engaged at the meeting of the American delegates who are going to the London Disarmament Conference. He is a delegate. No one knew anything about Senator Copeland.

But if the politicians did not outdo themselves in hospitality, the citizens of Washington and the Government employes serving under a Republican administration, made up for it. Everywhere New York's former governor went he was recognized. Once he was mobbed by admirers. He was photographed constantly.

SUGAR LOBBY HIRED HOOVER'S ATTORNEY

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finance committee, and Shattuck had conferred with President Hoover "who has instructed them to confer together."

Lakin Letter Is Quoted.

"I have obeyed your instructions to work in cooperation with your Ambassador," the letter added. As he is already on his way to Cuba, he will be able to inform you fully of what we are doing."

Lakin wrote that Gen. Enoch Crowder, former American Ambassador to Cuba, has been "of special value to Cuba and at mysuggestion he plans to go to Washington on March 18 and remain there for several weeks. His position in all branches of the Government is so high and his zeal and ability so great that he will be able to accomplish much."

Lakin repeated previous testimony that he was opposed to "lobbying," but that it was necessary to protect one's interests.

Zabriskie Also Mentioned.

The name of George A. Zabriskie, president of the United States Sugar Association, and former president of the Government sugar equalization board, also was brought into the testimony in the letter to Cutterez. The letter said:

"I have organized a provisional committee of three, consisting of George A. Zabriskie, Shattuck and myself. Zabriskie and Shattuck are, of course, as near to President Hoover as you are to President Machado. Zabriskie will do no actual work, but his advice and his association with Hoover are most valuable."

The letter added that about $150,000 would be needed for the sugar campaign, and said the chief expense would be compensation to Shattuck's New York law firm.

Laken Faces New Quiz.

"He and his partner, Mr. Francis, a former member of Congress," the letter continued, "are devoting at least 90 per cent of their time to this subject and they have already been working three months and will probably devote three months more before this work is finished."

Chairman Caraway, of the lobby committee, produced photostatic copies of newspaper articles which, he said, had appeared in Latin-American papers and opposed a high sugar duty.

He announced Lakin would be questioned about them when the committee resumes hearings Tuesday.

Revised Hospital Bill Is Reported

$13,700,000 Carried for Work Among Disabled War Veterans.

(Associated Press.)

A move to increase facilities for relief of disabled World War veterans was made yesterday by the House World War veterans' committee in ordering a $13,700,000 hospitalization bill reported.

The group instructed Chairman Royal C. Johnson, of the committee, to put the bill before the House so that it might be brought up for early action.

The measure originally began as the Luce bill, to authorize $10,000,000 for hospitalization and later was replaced by the Rogers measure calling for an outlay of $11,500,000. It was revised today by the committee to provide $1,500,000 for a hospital at Hot Springs, Ark., and $700,000 for alterations and repairs to existing veterans' hospitals.

NEGRO SCHOOL HIGH IN ATTENDANCE LIST

Glendale Hangs Up Perfect Record for November in Prince Georges.

TOWNS VIE FOR ROAD

The Hickory Grove one-teacher school had the highest average of attendance in the white schools in Prince Georges County in November, while Glendale, colored, presented a spotless record for the month, the report of Kathleen Shears, attendance officer of the county, shows.

Hickory Grove School is taught by Marian C. Queen. The attendance average was 98.8 per cent, winning the banner for the one-teacher school section. Seat Pleasant two-teacher school was second with an average of 97.7 per cent and was awerded the banner for the two-teacher class. Frances Smith is the principal. The Takoma Park Graded School, Mrs. Marian Trump, principal, with an average of 97.6 per cent, won the banner in the graded-school section, and Marlboro High School, Forrest Blunt, principal, was awarded the high school banner, with an average of 96.9 per cent.

Glendale colored school is taught by Mary E. Wallace, and its 100 per cent mark is believed to have been the first perfect attendance in the county school system. Marlboro colored high school won the colored high banner with an average of 97.1 per cent. E. L. Bracey is principal.

The attendance record of the county as a whole has been complimented by the State Department and Miss Shears has been highly commended for her efforts in this line. The county had the highest attendance average nearly every month last year.

A meeting of the music teachers of the Prince Georges County schools will be held Monday afternoon at 1 o'clock in the Maryland Park High School. The meeting will be addressed by T. L. Gibson, State supervisor of music, and J. Alfred Miller, county assistant superintendent of schools.

Trial of William Rawlings, 24 years old, of Bethesda, Md., charged with manslaughter, leaving the scene of a fatal accident and reckless driving, was resumed in Upper Marlboro branch of County Police Court yesterday. Rawlings is alleged to have fled the scene after his taxicab struck and fatally injured John Paul Goode, of Capitol Heights, two weeks ago. Two prosecution witnesses were heard yesterday, Lieut. A. W. Hepburn, of the county police, who told of the arrest of Goode, and two witnesses who were said to have been passengers in nthe cab, and Harvey S. Fearnow, Capitol Heights, who said that Goode had started to cross the street when the cab was 300 feet away. Fearnow said that the cab was speeding at about 35 miles an hour. He testified that the cab failed to stop and that the taxicab identified as Rawlings' when brought back had damaged headlights and was the same make of cab as that which struck Goode. The case was continued until next Friday.

The Prince Georges County Commissioners yesterday conferred with the members of the State Roads Commission at Baltimore on hte county road program for 1930. While no definite program for the construction of lateral roads was adopted, a tentative program was prepared and will be further discussed at a meeting next week. The county will have about $328,000 to expend on roads next year.

The commissioners who attended the conference were: George W. Waters, jr., president of the board; Dr. Harry M. Bowen, William A. Duvall and Brice Bowie.

In an effort to influence the decision of the county commissioners in the construction of a lateral road connecting the Baltimore boulevard and Edmonston road, residents of Berwyn have filed filed a sworn statement with the clerk to the county commissioners which declares that the traffic is heaviest by way of Berwyn. Branchville also wants the road to pass through that town and a spirited contest has resulted.

According to the statement, a count was taken Monday for twelve hours at the electric line crossing at Central avenue, Berwyn, and at the crossing in Branchville. The statement claims that 545 vehicles and 444 pedestrians passed over the crossing at Berwyn and but 301 vehicles and 282 pedestrians across the line at Branchville. The count was made by Charles Riddle, G. P. Bickford and Fred C. Frost.

A moving picture entitled "New Woodlands for All," which has been released by the Forestry Service of the Department of Agriculture, has for its locale the Lee Belt tract, on Central avenue near Halls Station and the University of Maryland grounds at College Park. The plot for th epicture was written by Fred B. Trenk, extension forester, and Robert Curry, assistant State forester.

Acquitted of Murder, U. S. Woman Leaves Jail

Mexico City, Dec. 13 (A.P.).—Mrs. Bernice Rush, of Louisville, Ky., who was acquitted of murder in connection with the fatal shooting last Christmas Eve of Jenaro Benevente, was freed today.

She had spent nearly a year in jail.

Envoy's Sister Again Hostess.

Istanbul, Dec. 13 (A.P.).—Miss Alice Morrow, sister of Ambassador Dwight Morrow and aunt of Mrs. Charles A. Lindbergh, has returned to give her voluntary services as hostess at the American College for Women here, as she did last year. Miss Morrow receives tourists and introduces them to members of the student body, numbering some 400 girls and eighteen nationalities.

GRUNDY SIGNS NAME ON FIRST PAY ROLL

Pennsylvania Storm Center Apparently Intends to Keep in Line.

DOES LITTLE FIRST DAY

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that time and the heritage which he received kept him from worrying about the wolf at the door.

Finds Front Doors.

Although he has been coming to Washington and keeping his hand on the tariff since 1893, a wag observed that yesterday was the first time that he learned that the senators' offices have front doors. Ever since he was dug up and publicized as the grandaddy of tariff lobbyists, at the beginning of the present tariff fight, he has not had a brass band attend him as he moved about in the office building corridors from one senator's office to another, and the political minded senators have not considered it a matter to write down and send to the newspaper boys when he visited them.

Senator Smoot used to blush and admit it as though he was confessing a sin when asked if he had been consulting with Mr. Grundy.

But it was different yesterday. Grundy moved about as he saw fit, amiable and already impressing that charm which Senator Cutting, of New Mexico, expressed the fear the senators would succumb to.

The place in the chamber at which the new senator was seated might be taken as symbolic of the course which he himself expects to follow and that which his Old Guard colleagues wish him to follow. It is an inconspicuous place, the last seat on the last row, almost under the extending gallery. From the press gallery, at least, one has to lean over the balcony to see him. The seat was placed here, of course, because there was no other place for it.

Tries to Dodge Limelight.

But it is a fact that Grundy desires to keep out of the limelight as much as possible, and his colleagues think this is fine.

The consensus among political observers is that insofar as Pennsylvania is concerned his appointment is ideal. It should mean the end of "Bill" Vare, who has suffered a relapse of his physical ailment, and the ascension of the dominant Mellon-Grundy-Fisher machine. Grundy has been catapulted into a fame he never before enjoyed and in Pennsylvania, into enough personal popularity to make him the outstanding man of the hour.

Therefore, insofar as Pennsylvania is concerned, everything is fine.

But for the Republican party as a whole, that is another thing. There is no secret in the coalition ranks that from a political standpoint, and of course, that is the standpoint, they are tickled to death with Grundy's appointment.

May Become Slogan.

The Democrats plan from now on to hold him up as a living, specific exhibit of their charge that the Republican party stands for collection of money and payment of dividends. And the only difference between them and the Progressives is that they will contend he is the personification of the Old Guard wing of the party.

Grundy's coming to the Senate, indeed, does not make for any healing of the breach in the Republican ranks. "Grundyism" is destined to become as deeply implanted in the Nation's mind as the "trusts," "sixteen to one," or any of the other slogans that have sounded down over the years.

Considerable speculation attaches to how President Hoover views the appointment. Grundy was never a hot Hoover man from the first. He had that lukewarmness which the rest of the Pennsylvania high protectionists had.

But his regard fell to a decidedly low level about August when the tariff fight began to turn definitely away from him. At that time, Grundy made no attempt to conceal his disappointment, in fact, to blame the tariff plight on the President.

Favors Flexible Provisions.

Strangely enough, too, he stands with the coalition on the proposed change in the flexible provisions whereby the flexible power would be given to Congress. Whether he would openly join the coalition in this fight is doubtful. His attitude would probably be that of his colleague, Senator Reed, who personally believes as does Grundy on this matter, but who has so far given evidence of standing with the President.

But the coalition will win the flexible fight anyway unless there is some unexpected change in the tariff situation, and the indications are that neither Reed nor Grundy will shed any tears over the coalition victory in this regard.

Inasmuch as the President has not stood with them in the tariff fight, it can be easily understood that they would prefer to have the flexible power in Congress, where Reed, at least, is right effective, and where Grundy may prove to be.

The indications are that Grundy does not share with Reed the conviction that there is still hope for Pennsylvania in the present bill. That Reed entertains such a hope is evidenced by this frequent statement that the tariff is dead.

It would not be surprising if Grundy is willing to let the coalitionists go ahead and take this bill, and he will try to make progress in educating them by the time the question comes up again, which, under the proposed change in the flexible provisions, could be any time.

Gov. Fisher Lashes Senate.

New York, Dec. 13 (N.Y.W.N.S.).—The Senate's refusal to seat William S. Vare and the uproar raised over the appointment of Joseph R. Grundy to fill his place would be "hilarious farce if it were not destroying the very fundamentals of American Government," Gov. John S. Fisher, of Pennsylvnia, said today on his arrival in New York City for the week-end.

"It has this value," he added, "that through the newspapers it has shown the whole country just what kind of people we have in the Senate at present.

"No one could enter into a tongue-lashing contest with those degenerates down there without lowering his self-respect.

"There is not an office which Pennsylvania has to bestow that Joe Grundy couldn't have had long ago. But you could never get him to go near a public office."

Grundy, he said, is "a Quaker of the Quakers," a man "who will never do anything under cover and who will always justify every act."

Vare Confined to Bed By Physical Relapse

Atlantic City, N. J., Dec. 13 (A.P.).—William S. Vare, who took to bed at his home at Chelsea yesterday as a result of the physical and mental strain of recent days, was reported to have passed a good night.

His physician, Dr. Elwood R. Kirby, of Philadelphia, is in attendance.

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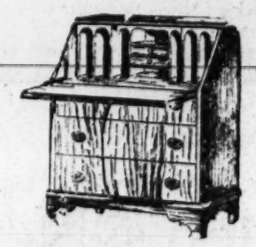
Tickets for the dinner may be obtained through Capt. William L. Thomas at the Veterans' Bureau by any man who served overseas with the American army.

South Dakotans Fete Statehood Anniversary

The South Dakota Society of Washington will celebrate the fortieth anniversary of the act enabling South Dakota to enter the Union at a tea Sunday afternoon from 3 to 6 o'clock at the Thomas Circle Club, 1326 Massachusetts avenue northwest.

Dr. Elwood Mead, director of reclamation; Representative Royal C. Johnson, Charles A. Christopherson, William Williamson and Mrs. Mabel Rewman are on the program for brief talks. A musical program is scheduled.



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OIL DEFENSE AVOIDS DOHENY AS WITNESS

Lawyer for Elk Hills Group Won't Vouch for Magnate's Word, He Declares.

COULD REFUSE, ANYWAY

Los Angeles, Dec. 13 (A.P.).—Norman Sterry, chief defense counsel, in explaining at the court's request his reasons for failing to call Edward L. Doheny as a witness in the Government's suit to cancel leases to 660 acres in the Elk Hills Naval Oil Reserve, said today he was "not prepared to vouch for the credibility" of the multimillionaire oil operator and believed he would refuse to testify in any case, standing on his constitutional rights.

The leases involved are those let by former Secretary of the Interior Albert B. Fall to Doheny and the Pan-American Petroleum Co. in 1921. The suit is based on a Government allegation that the $100,000 bribe Fall was convicted of receiving from Doheny and a fraudulent executive order figured in the transaction.

Sterry said he represented the Richfield Oil Co., which has taken over the Elk Hills leases from the Pan-American, formerly Doheny property. Doheny, who still faces trial on a bribery charge in connection with the oil lease scandals, had been subpenaed as a defense witness, but Sterry informed the court he would not be called.

"The more important reason," Sterry said, "is that when an attorney puts a witness on the stand it is implied that he vouches for the latter's credibility. I am not prepared to do that in this case." The attorney added he expected Doheny to refuse to testify on the grounds he might incriminate himself.

ALLGOOD RESIGNS COMMITTEE POST

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publican committee on committees and the assignment was approved by the House Thursday.

Allgood, who has served on the committee several years, said that as soon as he learned of De Priest's assignment he "concluded that he did not desire the honor any longer."

De Priest also has been assigned to the Indian affairs and invalid pensions committees.

CAR DROPS 50 FEET; TWO DEAD, ONE HURT

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visited these relatives during the middle of last month.

Mrs. Crawford, the former Miss Susan Brown, of Mount Holly, N. J., is survived by two sons, both of Washington, including Dr. Charles B. Crawford, a well known physician, and Angus McDonald Crawford, a coach of foreign service students here; and one daughter, Mrs. Merill T. Cooke, of Philadelphia, in addition to Mrs. Randolph.

The accident occurred when the machine, proceeding from the school to the downtown business section, slipped out of the runway on the bridge. Mrs. Crawford apparently cut the steering wheel too sharply and the car careened through the railing and to the ravine bottom. Mrs. Worthington was killed almost instantly and Mrs. Crawford died less than two hours later at the Virginia Baptist Hospital, where the youth was reported unconscious and in a critical condition.

INFLUENZA VACCINE SCIENTIST'S HOPE

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versity of Chicago, piled evidence upon evidence, and not until last night did any one on the outside learn that the germ, which so far has the only laboratory label 42-X, is isolated.

"Falk has an impressive body of evidence and we are very hopeful about the certainty of his conclusions," said his chief, Dr. E. O. Jordon, chairman of the department of hygiene and bacteriology. "Of course, like all other discoveries of the kind, it must run the gantlet of investigation and confirmation."

So elusive has the influenza germ been, explained Dr. Falk, that none could be sure of influenza until it was contracted in epidemic form. The winter of 1928 found Dr. Falk and his assistants taking cat naps on laboratory benches, snatching quick-brought-in lunches and making determined effort to keep strains of bacteria alive before the end of the epidemic.

Miss Ruth A. McKinney, one of the most enthusiastic of the workers—a demure young woman with auburn tresses—complained at midnight while hard at work. A culture was taken from her blood. It was nurtured, and the strain of bacteria in it multiplied. Then word came from the hospital that she had developed a severe case of influenza.

The germ from the culture, germ No. 42-X, was sprayed into the throats of monkeys. It choked off their chattering—and they developed influenza.

Only the cold law of science, which says "prove and prove and prove," kept the workers from shouting to the housetops that the germ of influenza was discovered. As, indeed, it was!

Dr. Falk leaves the University of Chicago before the end of the month to become director of the committee on the cost of medical care. Whether he will continue 'n Washington to strive for a cure and preventive of influenza, or whether he will leave the work to be carried out by the fourteen assistants, he would not say.

$2,512,933 Scheduled As Rothstein Assets

New York, Dec. 13 (A.P.).—An accounting filed by the temporary administrators in surrogate's court today showed that the estate of Arnold Rothstein, Broadway gambler, slain a year ago last November, has assets of $2,512,933. The principal items were jewelry and real estate corporation holdings.

Nathan Burkman, attorney for the estate, filed a bill for $75,000 for legal services. In his petition the attorney said the estate was in a poor condition at the time of Rothstein's death, but various claims against it had been liquidated and it now was in excellent condition. George McManus, another White Way gambler, recently was acquitted on a charge of murdering Rothstein.

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SWIMMING PARTIES ARRANGED

Rector Advocates Law On Coughing in Church

London, Dec. 13 (A.P.).—A system of fines for people who cough in church is advocated by the Rev. Basil Bourchier, rector of St. Anne's in Soho, the district in London famous for musical services. Mr. Bourchier is a brother of the late Arthur Bourchier, noted actor.

"The guilty ones should be compelled to pay the doctor's bills of all the innocent people who can prove they became germ-infected through sitting in the same atmosphere with them," the rector declared.

REAL ESTATE SALES SHOW HEALTHY GAIN

Percentage of Vacancies Is Reduced From November, 1929.

HOUSES SELLING FASTER

Evidence of improvement in real estate market conditions here over those generally during the past two years is shown in a statistical study of the Operative Builders' Association of the District of Columbia made public yesterday.

In spite of the great volume of apartment house construction in the two years, the percentage of vacancies, in completed buildings, the survey announces, is now 9.86, a reduction from 10.94 for November, 1928. A vacancy of 10 per cent is considered normal, it was explained.

The report states nearly twice as many new houses were sold during October, November and the first ten days of December this year, as were placed under construction in the same period, indicating a gain in rate of new dwelling sales, though not in sales volume compared with last year.

Statistics gathered were obtained by the association from 43 property management departments of local realty concerns, covering 18,600 apartment units, approximately 40 per cent of the city's total. All types of apartments in various sections are included, each realty office submitting reports on all buildings under its management.

While the survey figures are interpreted not to mean construction volume or new residence sales are greater than last year, but rather that the fundamental condition is improved, with houses selling faster, construction slower, thus lessening the number of unsold houses.

Graf to Send Out Pictures by Radio

Newspaper Readers to See Arctic Sights as Ship Sails Over Pole.

Friedrichshafen, Germany, Dec. 13 (A.P.).—When the dirigible Graf Zeppelin takes off for the North Pole next spring, she will be equipped with a special radio apparatus for transmitting pictures by wireless. Even while the giant airship is speeding over the limitless white wastes of the Arctic, newspaper readers will be able to follow the flight in pictures as well as words.

The apparatus is also intended to receive weather charts, thus obviatnig the necessity of the navigation officers' laboriously drawing them with the aid of weather information received by wireless.

The Siemens and Halske Co., which is to supply the telefoto radio plant, has devised an apparatus in which the receiving and tranamitting devices are combined. It is claimed that it is impervious to outside atmospheric and other influences, and that it is not heavy.

Stock Losses Lead Man To Blow Out His Brains

New York, Dec. 13 (A.P.).—On the back of an envelope which contained a note from his broker informing him he had lost $4,790 in Wall street, H. G. Hodapp today wrote "God save me, I am going crazy," put a pistol to his head and blew out his brains.

He was dead, slumped on a bench in Riverside Park, when a patrolman, attracted by the shot, arrived.

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Select Pork Chops	lb. 27c
Lean Pork Chops	lb. 25c
Small Fresh Hams	lb. 25c
Prime Rib Roast	lb. 39c
Chuck Roast	lb. 29c
3-Cornered Roast	lb. 35c
Shoulder Clod	lb. 39c
Hamburg Steak	lb. 29c
Bottom Round Steak	lb. 43c
Top Round Steak	lb. 45c
Boiling Beef	lb. 19c
Veal Cutlets	lb. 60c
Rib Veal Chops	lb. 55c
Shoulder Veal Chops,	lb. 35c
Breast of Veal	lb. 30c
Shoulder Veal Roast,	lb. 32c
Leg of Lamb	lb. 38c
Rib Lamb Chops	lb. 60c
Breast of Lamb	lb. 15c
Shoulder Lamb Chops,	lb. 35c
Shoulder Lamb Roast,	lb. 33c

Suggested Items for the Holidays

R. & R. Plum Pudding	tin 29c	First Prize Margarine	lb. 25c
"Sanico" Mayonnaise	8-oz. jar 21c	Argo Corn Starch	pkg. 9c
Bulk Mince Meat	lb. 19c	Campfire Marshmallows	lb. 25c
Social Club Mince Meat	2-lb. jar 43c	Dromedary Dates	pkg. 20c
Honey Dew Pineapple	No. 2½ tin 27½c	Hershey's Cocoa Syrup	2 tins 15c
Honey Dew Cr. Pineapple	No. 2 tin 23c	Woodlyn Cleaned Currants	pkg. 17½c
Honey Dew Tidbits	sm. tin 10c	Bell's Poultry Seasoning	pkg. 8c
Honey Dew Pineapple Juice,	No. 2 tin 17½c	Hipolite Marshmallow Creme	pint 18c
Sun Maid Raisins	2 pkgs. 25c	Jello	2 pkgs. 15c
Layer Figs	lb. 29c	Royal Gelatine	pkg. 8c
Citron	lb. 40c	Jolly Time Pop Corn	tin 25c
Lemon or Orange Peel	lb. 30c	Del Monte Ripe Olives	tin 12c, 23c
Basket Br. Cluster Raisins	pkg. 15c	Dromedary Cocoanut	pkg. 13c

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Schlitz	Carton of 12 Bottles	98c
WELCH'S Grapelade	2 Jars for	37c
WELCH'S Grape Jelly	2 Jars for	27c
BEAN HOLE Beans	2 Tins for	23c
IDAHO Beans	3 Lbs. for	25c
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Even the inexperienced cooks can make biscuits successfully with QUICKO Biscuit Flour Per Pkg... 15c

Diamond Budded Walnuts Per Lb. ... 35c

Walnut Meats tin 23c, 49c

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Pecan Halves glass 32c

Brazils KING COLE lb. 25c

Sanitary RED CARTON Butter, 2 Lbs. for 95c

Everyday Grocery Needs

Selox	pkg. 15c	Chipso	pkg. 9c
Ivory Flakes	pkg. 9c, 24c	Silver Brand Peas	tin 10c
Old Dutch Cleanser	2 pkgs. 15c	Blue Ridge Corn	tin 10c
Sunbrite Cleanser	pkg. 5c	Campbell's Soups (16 varieties)	tin 10c
Gold Dust	pkg. 5c, 25c	Campbell's Tomato Soup	3 tins 25c
Drano	can 23c	Babo	can 14c
Carbona	bot. 15c	Clorox	bot. 20c
Safe Home Matches	6 boxes 25c	Silver Lake Cut Beets	tin 10c
Old Witch	bot. 15c, 35c	Shriver's A-1 Peas	tin 15c, 25c
Scot Toilet Tissue	3 rolls 28c	Black Eyed Peas	tin 10c
"Sanico" Toilet Tissue	2 rolls 15c	Cream of Wheat	pkg. 14c, 24c
Light Globes	each 20c & 35c	"Sanitary" Oats	lg. pkg. 19c
Fuses	each 5c, or 5 for 22c	Quaker Oats	pkg. 10c, 25c
		Brown Rice Flakes	2 pkgs. 21c
		"Sanico" Pancake	3 pkgs. 25c

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Yellow Onions	4 lbs. 15c
Iceberg Lettuce,	2 heads 25c

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STRIKERS AT MARION CALLED DANGEROUS

Crowd Was in Ugly Mood, Is Defense Testimony in Deputies' Trial.

FIRED FIRST, IS CLAIM

Burnsville, N. C., Dec. 13 (A.P.).—Strikers in the battle at the mill of the Marion Manufacturing Co., October 2, were described as a "yelling, cursing crowd," ready to "shoot it out" with sheriff's forces as the defense opened testimony today in the trial here of eight deputies charged with murder of six workers killed during the disorder.

W. S. Jones, master mechanic of the Marion Manufacturing Co., where the battle occurred, following a strike of employes in the mill, testified today that the first shots in the disturbance came from the center of the crowd of strikers.

The mill mechanic was the second defense witness called after the State rested its case this morning when its twenty-sixth witness left the stand. The trial, which opened Tuesday when the entire day was consumed in the selection of a jury, was sent to Burnsville on a change of venue from Marion. Jones said he watched the disturbance from the mill gate in which Sheriff Oscar Adkins and his deputies were stationed. The strikers, he said, were in front of the gate, between the gate and the highway.

Saw Knives in Hands.

"About half of the crowd of 250 had sticks. I saw one man, Luther Bryson, with an open knife in his hand. There were about a dozen other men with knives, but I didn't know them."

"What was the crowd doing?" defense counsel asked.

"They had sticks and were talking and yelling and cursing," Jones said. "They said there would be no work today and were yelling 'scabs' and barking 'woof, woof,' and saying 'yellow dogs.' The sheriff was at the gate saying, 'For God's sake stand back and let these people go to work. If you don't I'm going to have to arrest you.'

"The crowd said, 'This is our day and we've got hold of things today.'"

Tear Gas Released.

"The crowd came closer and closer to the officers as the sheriff told them to stand back. Finally they got right around the sheriff and he released tear gas. When he released the gas, James Jones ran up and hit the sheriff with a club. Finally the sheriff was knocked down and lay there all during the fight, with old man Jones striking at him with the stick. The sheriff appeared to be trying to ward off the blows with his hands, then Ed Cannon, deputy sheriff, came up and Sam Vickers knocked him down with a stick." Jones and Vickers were among the six killed in the riot.

"When the tear gas began to spread," Jones continued, "the crowd started back and had gone about 6 inches when Charles Fitzgerald, standing in the crowd, said 'Boys that won't hurt you. Let's shoot it out with them.' Then there were shots from the crowd of workers."

Fitzgerald Not Identified.

Fitzgerald was not identified by the witness.

"Who fired the shots?"

"Some of them came from the strikers and part from the sheriff's forces."

Jones said that when officers started firing, the crowd ran.

"Did you see any shooting done by the officers after the crowd started running?"

"No, the shooting stopped," Jones said.

Newspaperman on Stand.

A. L. Stockton, managing editor of the Greensboro Daily News, was the first defense witness. He said he went to Marion late on the day of the shooting and saw holes in the windows of the mill and bullet marks on the walls. State witnesses had testified that shots were fired only from the sheriff's forces in the mill gate in front of the building.

He said he saw a bullet hole in a watchman's tower near the mill gate and that Deputy Sheriff Robert Ward had shown him a torn place on the sleeve of his overcoat. Ward, B. L. Robbins, Dave Jarrett, Jim Owens, Charles Tate, Taylor Green, William Twiggs and W. A. Fender are the deputies on trial. Jonas, Vickers, Bryson, Randolph Hall, Tilden Carver and James Roberts were killed during the fight.

State Senator Gunter Addresses Churchmen

Special to The Washington Post.

Cumberland, Md., Dec. 13.—State Senator William A. Gunter, of Allegany County, spoke at a Lord's Day Alliance conference at the First Presbyterian Church tonight under the auspices of the Allegany County Ministerial Union. His talk was on the work of the Lord's Day Alliance as seen by a legislator.

Other speakers were Dr. W. W. Davis, Baltimore, general secretary of the Maryland Lord's Day Alliance, and Dr. Martin Luther Enders, pastor of First Lutheran Church, Baltimore, and former pastor of St. Paul's Lutheran Church, this city.

Shenandoah Highway Stretch Worked Over

Special to The Washington Post.

Strasburg, Va., Dec. 13.—A 7-mile stretch of the Shenandoah Valley pike, extending from a point just north of the Rockingham County line to the Shenandoah River, 5 miles north of New Market, has been reconstructed by the State Highway Department with a 28-foot roadbed on an 80-foot right of way. The work of widening the road will be continued during the winter as weather permits.

Close cooperation is being given by land owners along the route who are contributing land for the new right of way.

Ragland at Richmond To Attend Convention

Danville, Va., Dec. 13.—Pryor G Ragland, commissioner of revenue, has gone to Richmond to attend the annual convention of commissioners which opened today and which will continue tomorrow. C. H. Morissette, State tax commissioner, is presiding at the meetings.

The tax code of Virginia is expected to be generally discussed.

Mountain Roads Risky In Hagerstown Section

Hagerstown, Md., Dec. 13.—Travel in the mountains continued hazardous today with ice coating the highways in higher altitudes.

It was impossible for cars to negotiate the mountains on the National highway east and west of here without chains, but in the lowlands most of the ice had melted.

CHRISTMAS LIGHT SPONSORS

Upper left, Maj. Gen. Anton Stephan; upper right, E. J. Murphy; lower right, Charles W. Darr, and lower left, Dr. George C. Havenner, members of the committee sponsoring "Brighter Community Christmas" in the Capital.

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Capital Will Be Brightest City in World at Yuletide

Elaborate Plans Made by Business and Civic Leaders to Carry Out Post Electric League Program for Holiday Illumination in District.

Backed by the business and civic leaders of the Capital, The Washington Post-Electric League "Brighter Community Christmas" program is gaining momentum daily with all indications pointing to the most beautifully decorated city in the world during the holiday season.

Seventeen men and women of prominence are members of the committee sponsoring this idea for making Washington an especially attractive place in which to live during the Christmas season. The members of this committee are:

Dr. George C. Havenner, president, Federation of Citizens Associations, Horace Peaslee, president, American Institute of Architects; Ernest Johnston, president, Advertising Club of Washington; Alfred H. Lawson, president, Washington Real Estate Board; Eugene E. Thompson, Crane, Parris & Co.; Charles W. Darr, president, Chamber of Commerce; E. J. Murphy, president, Board of Trade; Col. U. S Grant 3d, director, Public Parks and Public Buildings; Gen. Anton Stephan, president, Merchants & Manufacturers Association; Miss Sybil Baker, director, Community Center Department; Dr. Frank Ballou, superintendent of schools; William F. Ham, president, Washington Railway & Electric Co.; John H. Hanna, president, Capital Traction Co.; Dr. B. C. Perry, commissioner, Bethesda Taxing Area; Lacy Shaw, commissioner, Silver Spring Taxing Area; L. B. Wilson, president, Chesapeake & Potomac Telephone Co., and Representative Frederick N. Zihlman, of Maryland.

While The Post-Electric League program includes outdoor lighting of homes and communities, the Community Center Department is cooperating with arrangements to have carol singers visit various institutions of the city and to be present when national and community Christmas trees are lighted for the first time.

The national tree will be in Sherman Square as usual and a splendid program has been arranged for the lights ceremonies there on Christmas Eve. The Marine Band will play, children will sing carols and there will be short addresses by persons well known in the Capital.

Communities are lining up rapidly in an effort to win the silver loving cup which is the prize for the best lighted section of the city. This prize has been won by Wesley Heights and Saul's Addition in previous contests and both these communities are out to repeat.

A list of individual prizes will be offered for the best decorated homes but no homes will be considered by the judges unless entry blanks have been mailed to The Post or the Electric League. Fill out your blank today and make sure that the judges see the lighting display at your residence.

Tobacco Prices In New Decline

Downturn at Danville Is Cause of Complaints From Growers.

Special to The Washington Post.

Danville, Va., Dec. 13. — Another marked downturn in tobacco prices is again causing unrest among the tobacco growers of this section. Yesterday's average was 17.39 cents per pound, compared with 22 cents a few days ago.

The decrease is ascribed in part to inferior offerings, though this is not the sole cause. The Japanese agents have stopped buying tobacco, and this is taken to mean that the needs of that country in this belt have been filled for this season. The foreign demand is reported somewhat lower because of the tendency of many European countries to produce leaf in their own colonies. The Chinese demand is reported to have undergone no change as result of the fighting in the interior.

Chief complaint from the farmers is the widespread fluctuations in price. Many of the farmers, dissatisfied with the price they receive, refuse the bids, place the leaf on the same warehouse floor the next day and often receive 50 per cent more for it.

John Marshall Highway Construction Delayed

Strasburg, Va., Dec. 13.—Construction of the Strasburg-Front Royal road, first link in the John Marshall highway, which will extend from Washington, D. C., through Thoroughfare Gap to the Front Royal entrance of the proposed Shenandoah National Park, has been suspended until spring.

The State has allotted the sum of $82,000 for the construction of the 12-mile stretch to Front Royal, which will be completed during the spring months.

Charles Library Board Increased

Mrs. Walter Gray sI Named President at Meeting in La Plata.

Special to The Washington Post.

La Plata, Md., Dec. 13.—The annual business meeting of the Charles County Library Association was held this afternoon.

The number of directors was increased from five to seven. Officers elected were: Mrs. Walter H. Gray, president; P. D. Brown, vice president; William B. Billingsley, secretary, and Miss Mattie Owen, treasurer. The four elected officers and Mrs. Mernard Howard, Miss Phyllis Stonestreet, and Mrs. Henry Lyon constitute the new board of directors. They will meet Monday and name the finance, building and book committees, the three standing committees of the association. Mrs. Vernon Padgett was reelected librarian.

The library is open to the public each Tuesday and Saturday afternoon. A plan is being worked out whereby the schools of the county may secure the loan of a moving library through the county library. A drive to secure additional members of the association is planned for the near future.

Hagerstown Hog Pens And Junk Yards to Go

Special to The Washington Post.

Hagerstown, Md., Dec. 13.—Hog pens within the corporate limits of Hagerstown are to be outlawed, and the city council has instructed City Attorney A. S. Mason to draw up the necessary ordinance. Junk yards and abattoirs will also be banned, but under the law those that are now here will not be forced to close unless they continue to be nuisances. Property owners complain junk yards are unsightly and the wrecking of old automobiles disturbing.

COUNTIES GET SPLIT OF MOTOR FUEL TAX

Virginia Comptroller Shows Quota Distributed to Various Sections.

ROADS FUND ENHANCED

Richmond, Va., Dec. 13 (A.P.).—The counties' share, $278,166.35, of the motor vehicle fuel tax collected in November has been allotted by E. R. Combs, comptroller, who announces that the total tax collected was $976,168.47.

The counties' share is 30 per cent of the total, minus refunds, which last month amounted to $48,947.31. Of the net total, 70 per cent, or $649,054.81, was credited to the State highway department for road construction.

Allotments to the counties follow:

Accomac, $4,963.36; Albemarle, $6,101.43; Alleghany, $8,928.55; Amelia, $981.60; Amherst, $1,550.16; Appomattox, $1,011.39; Arlington, $7,128.18; Augusta, $7,390.97.

Bath, $2,494.36; Bedford, $4,612.61; Bland, $492.06; Botetourt, $2,253.61; Brunswick, $2,791.74; Buchanan, $1,364.96; Buckingham, $1,246.19.

Campbell, $6,319.45; Caroline, $1,761.82; Carroll, $2,023.69; Charles City, $904.78; Charlotte, $1,597.79; Chesterfield, $7,452.13; Clarke, $2,836.09; Craig, $527.01; Culpeper, $2,174.74; Cumberland, $706.20.

Dickenson, $1,678.84; Dinwiddie, $3,239.57.

Elizabeth City, $3,839.18; Essex, $694.66.

Fairfax, $4,715.23; Fauquier, $5,463.62; Floyd, $839.20; Fluvanna, $751.48; Franklin, $2,041.97; Frederick, $1,980.12.

Giles, $1,667.11; Gloucester, $1,397.35; Goochland, $878.11; Grayson, $1,659.72; Greene, $475.71; Greensville, $1,959.66.

Halifax, $6,562.68; Hanover, $2,617.03; Henrico, $10,860.52; Henry, $3,858.42; Highland, $976.

Isle of Wight, $1,697.74.

James City, $480.46.

King George, $507.94; King and Queen, $679.07; King William, $1,181.82.

Lancaster, 916.15; Lee, $2,129.13; Loudoun, $7,149.86; Louisa, $1,584.21; Lunenberg, $1,758.49.

Madison, $1,257.45; Mathews, $1,002.58; Mecklenburg, $4,715.34; Middlesex, $844.74; Montgomery, $2,473.19.

Nansemond, $2,229.86; Nelson, $3,873.23; New Kent, $517.70; Norfolk, $6,344.50; Northampton, $2,688.58; Northumberland, $1,685.55; Nottoway, $2,264.50.

Orange, $3,206.24.

Page, $2,087.89; Patrick, $1,137.79; Pittsylvania, $7,097.06; Powhatan, $587.95; Prince Edward, $2,223.13; Prince George, $1,046.27; Princess Anne, $2,163.33; Prince William, $1,712.48; Pulaski, $3,466.44.

Rappahannock, $1,019.80; Richmond, $686.43; Roanoke, $10,500.24; Rockbridge, $4,525.40; Rockingham, $5,990.56; Russell, $3,714.08.

Scott, $1,655.83; Shenandoah, $3,308.41; Smith, $2,677.01; Southampton, $3,209.12; Spotsylvania, $1,226.58; Stafford, $645.57; Surry, $1,515.42; Sussex, $1,770.60.

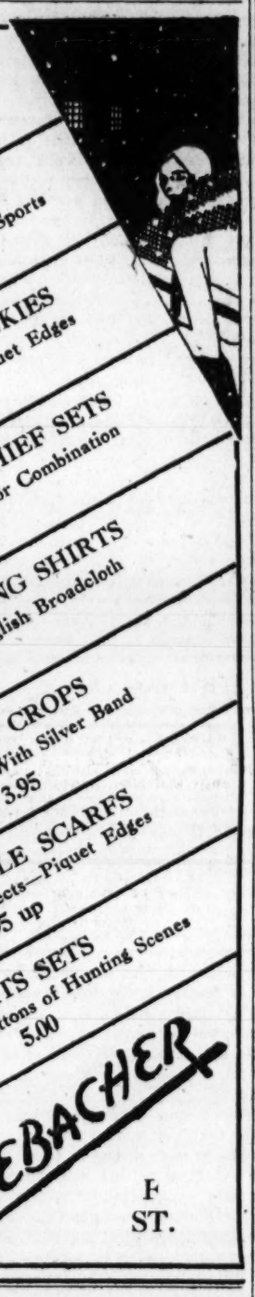
Tazewell, $7,262.67.

Warren, $923.96; Warwick, $961.32; Washington, $3,100.57; Westmoreland, $884.82; Wise, $8,307.14; Wythe, $2,281.25.

York, $1,523.44.

Earthquake Felt in Sicily.

Catania, Sicily, Dec. 13 (A.P.).—A slight earthquake lasting several seconds was felt here at 5:48 o'clock this morning.



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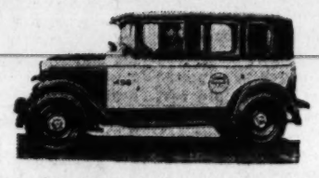

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Diamond Walnut Meats	3-oz. tin 23c	Liberty Creams	lb. 17c
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TAX REDUCTION.

Opposition against the tax reduction bill developed in the Senate yesterday and prevented a vote. It is generally agreed that the measure will be adopted when it comes to a vote, but in the meantime the insurgents must object from force of habit. No valid argument has been advanced against the proposed reduction. Politics and sectionalism of the insurgent brand lie at the bottom of all opposition that has been voiced in the Senate.

Senator Norris, master obstructionist, led off the opposition with a plea that the $160,000,000 which the administration wishes to remain in the hands of the taxpayers be applied to reduction of the public debt. Since the war the people have paid more than $9,000,000,000 toward reduction of this debt, and payments recommended in the budget are providing an entirely satisfactory liquidation. There is no necessity of depriving the public of relief that is especially needed at this time to hasten that liquidation.

Another scheme by Senator McMaster would substitute for the tax reduction bill a measure designed to reduce freight rates. This is akin to the proposal of Senator Black to hold out against tax reduction until the Senate has conferred special favors upon his State in the form of fertilizer from Muscle Shoals.

Senator Norbeck and others would penalize the whole country because they fear the public would not get the benefit of a cut in corporation taxes based on incomes for this year. Arguments of this kind completely ignore the fact that the reduction is needed and can be made this year, while next year's budget may not warrant a reduction.

Senator Couzens' proposed amendment to include a permanent reduction of the capital gain tax from 12½ to 10 per cent would be proper if the Treasury could afford it. In making its recommendations the administration admitted that it is hewing close to the line. The Treasury agrees that the capital gain tax should be reduced, but the Government is not now in a position to sacrifice any more than $160,000,000.

The bill should be adopted without amendment. It is sponsored by the administration and an overwhelming majority in the House. Both Republican and Democratic leaders in the Senate indorsed it in yesterday's debate. The bill should be brought to a final vote today and sent to the President for signature before Christmas.

CHAOS IN CHINA.

The plight of the Chinese Nationalist government has virtually shattered all hope that this regime will be able to consummate the unification of China. The Nationalist forces are hard pressed in four different sections. A revolutionary army is closing in on Canton, the most important city of south China, and the capital at Nanking is in such danger that American, British and Japanese warships are preparing to remove foreign residents to places of safety. A rigid tightening up of censorship further indicates the desperate situation of the Nationalists.

A year ago the Nanking government had gained sufficient strength to be able to proclaim the unification of all China under one flag. This unity was dependent on the uncertain allegiance of powerful war lords, but it gave some hope that China might be diverted from civil war. A program for reduction of armed forces, collection of all taxes by the national government, and many other reforms were outlined. The right of foreign countries to interfere with Chinese tariffs was relinquished, and some progress was made toward abolition of extraterritoriality. But the government was not strong enough to carry this program through, and when its resources for settling disputes with money were at an end active opposition developed.

The Nationalists have proclaimed democratic ideals but practiced dictatorship out of necessity. They have not had a chance to establish the kind of government they had in mind. Their present predicament casts a spell of gloom over the political future of China.

Should the Nanking government survive the present widespread revolution its prestige will be seriously impaired. If the revolts should be crushed they would certainly break out again at the next opportune moment. One of the major objectives of President Chiang Kaishek has been to eliminate Marshal Feng from the political picture. But every effort has failed, and Feng remains the chief factor in the present disturbance. Political power is still in the hands of military chiefs. No centralized government can exist under these conditions. The Chinese must expect political chaos, poverty and starvation until these conditions are changed.

ORDER IN PRISONS FIRST.

The mutiny at Auburn Prison has been put down, but the convicts are confined to their cells while a search is prosecuted for firearms that were known to be in the possession of the rioters and which have not been accounted for. In the meantime, the public wonders what is to be done to prevent another outbreak at Auburn or in other penal institutions. The radio speech of Sanford Bates, superintendent of Federal prisons, delivered immediately following the Auburn affair, did not provide an answer.

Mr. Bates advocates widespread reform. Punishment is and should be a deterrent upon a certain percentage of lawbreakers, he holds, but the important task of penology is to remove physical handicaps to success, minimize the economic pressure to commit crime, and supplant habits of lawlessness with a morale of patriotic cooperation to the end that convicts may be released on parole to take their rightful place in society. Penologists are agreed, he said, of the necessity for "Prompt decision and disposition in criminal cases through the simplification and clarification of legal procedure; scientific analysis of the individual and the causes of his crime; special treatment for the irresponsible; strict discipline for all normal or intentional criminals, and the permanent segregation of the defective or incorrigible."

"Overwhelmed with the task of housing and feeding twice as many inmates as our penitentiaries should accommodate," said Mr. Bates, "the real work of our Federal prisons, namely, personal reconstruction, has had to be deferred." Until adequate facilities are provided for the housing of the prison population steps toward reform in the method of handling prisoners can not be taken. The first thing to be done, obviously, is to make murderous outbreaks impossible. Ideal reforms can come later, but unless wardens can enforce order there is no use in discussing scientific reform.

SHORTAGE OF GARAGES.

The District Zoning Commission has decided to permit construction of storage garages in buildings located in what are known as first commercial areas without the consent of neighboring property owners. Action on a similar amendment to the zoning code with respect to apartment houses was postponed to next month to permit a change in the wording. This delay will not be regretted if the amendment is adopted in proper form at that time.

These amendments are a result of agitation to abolish overnight parking on the streets. Widespread disapproval of using the streets as "open-air garages" has developed. The practice results in congestion and adds to the hazards of motor traffic. But automobiles must be left somewhere at night, and as long as no garage facilities are available it is useless to talk of keeping them off the streets. The least the District government can do is to make it possible for apartment builders to include garages in future buildings.

This change in the zoning code can not be regarded, however, as a solution of the overnight parking problem. Hundreds of apartments already built will find it impossible to arrange garage accommodations. Promoters of new projects may not consider apartment garages profitable or desirable. The proposed amendment is a step in the right direction, but the District should look beyond it for a solution to the overnight parking question.

CAUSE OF INFLUENZA.

"As to the causative organism of influenza," says the Encyclopedia Britannica, "we remain even now still in doubt. The view that the Bacillus influenzae (Pfeiffer) was the cause of the disease received little support from investigations carried out since 1918. . . . The vaccine issued (during the 1918-19 pandemic) was confessedly of a provisional nature, since the causative agent was still uncertain. The vaccine must be described as consisting entirely of the 'secondary invaders.' As such its issue was entirely justifiable and its effects were such as might have been expected: Satisfactory in diminishing complications and mortality, but practically nil in preventing the disease. Vaccine, then, can not, as a prophylactic, help us much at present; nor can we, in the light of recent experience, hope for great results from general measures of hygiene."

Great importance is attached to the announcement made this week by Prof. I. S. Falk, of the University of Chicago, that the isolation of the germ that causes epidemic influenza has been accomplished. Isolation of the germ is the necessary preliminary to development of a vaccine that will be effective against the disease or, at least, the formulation of a method of treatment other than the purely empirical. The announcement, of course, must be accepted with reservations. While Dr. Falk with his cultures seems to have been able to induce in monkeys a disease resembling the acute influenza that affects humans, so illusive has been the search for the influenza germ that medical science demands conclusive proof of the validity of the discovery.

If the influenza germ has been segregated, there need be no doubt of the ability of science to perfect an effective anti-body. The history of the conquest of epidemic disease proves that once the causative germ is isolated, it is only a matter of experiment and time until an effective vaccine is developed. When this has been accomplished influenza pandemics will become mere echoes of the past.

SAVING WILD LIFE.

Reports of the near extinction of game animals and birds and the destruction of the last vestiges of wilderness have been so numerous in recent years that it is a pleasure to note a statement from the Forest Service to the effect that big-game animals in the national forests are on the increase. A census just completed shows that all animals in this class, except the mountain goat, moose and caribou, are gaining in numbers.

Deer in the national forests increased their number by 47,400 during 1928. The census shows a deer population of 748,000. In at least one forest, the Kaibab in Arizona, deer have become so numerous that they are starving because of insufficient forage. Elk are increasing in number, as are also antelopes, bears and mountain sheep. Under the protection afforded by the national forests and State game laws further replenishment of forest game may be expected. The national forests contain more than 100 State game refuges and 16 Federal preserves, including more than 20,000,000 acres. So long as these areas are guarded against the hunter there is little danger that the major game animals will become extinct.

The country is evidently ashamed of the manner in which it wasted its game resources in the frontier days. The plight of the buffalo is an example of what results from unregulated slaughter. Now the Government not only affords large areas for protection of game from all shooting, but is restocking some areas from which all game has been driven. After suffering near annihilation, the beaver is again gaining a foothold through "planting." Mountain sheep have been brought from Canada to stock the forests of Colorado and Oklahoma. Arrangements have been made to reduce the overpopulation of deer in the Kaibab by distributing them in other wooded areas. Impetus is given the whole movement of replenishing game by the development of fur farms and game ranches.

Extinction of wild life is a serious loss to any nation. Preservation of game has received tardy recognition in this country, and therefore special efforts are needed to restore the animals which were once numerous in American forests.

LEASING FEDERAL CONVICTS.

The Department of Justice made a contract last October with the Georgia State Prison Commission, leasing Federal prisoners to work on the roads of Chatham County, Ga. In explaining the matter, attention is called to the overcrowded condition of Federal penitentiaries, one of the by-products of which has been a condition of enforced idleness, and the plea is made that it is the part of humanity to make work for the prisoners, and that the leasing is "a move in the direction of advanced penology." But the contract, inasmuch as it specifies that only colored prisoners shall be leased out, is discriminatory. The discrimination between races obtains even if, as the department contends, the prisoners themselves look upon a transfer to the road-working camp as a privilege.

"Convict leasing" is a relic of the dark days, and the phrase is obnoxious to Americans. It is particularly deplorable that the Government should have made a contract in which a racial distinction is drawn. It has no right to favor one State over the others by giving it the use of free labor, the board and keep of which is paid from the National Treasury.

The leasing system lends itself to abuses, and the contract is sure to be a constant source of criticism and friction. It would be well if the department were to give the State of Georgia the 60-day notice required for the discontinuance of the contract.

FINDING OIL

From the Topeka Daily Capital.

Localities interested in seeking valuable resources beneath the soil should consider that the time seems to have arrived when this kind of work can be done in a scientific way impossible ten or even five years ago, owing to the rapid advance in the new applied science of geophysics.

It was only a year or two ago that the Geological Survey at Washington issued a bulletin warning the public against falling for the various doodlebugs warranted to find oil or other minerals. The doodlebugs are no doubt just as foolish now as they ever were, but geophysics has come up in a surprising way and mineral deposits, according to a bulletin this month of the Bureau of Mines, can now safely be said to be discoverable by this science.

So confident is the Bureau of Mines that it goes to the length of saying that "the Government ought to have a man in every State, not for the benefit of private individuals and not to supplant exploration companies, but to conduct preliminary investigations to determine whether geophysical methods can be employed profitably in given localities."

The bulletin states that "the general public is entirely unaware of the immense value of geophysics. Not only minerals can be located by these methods. They are just as well suited to locating nonminerals, or gravel pits, or even water."

In the recent development of applied geophysics the same instrument is not necessarily good for different purposes. Instruments and apparatus are adapted to a specific purpose. Already, however, "there are several groups of methods that have been more or less standardized, some gravitational, others magnetic, others seismic and others electrical, radioactive or geothermal, which indicate the existence of certain definite substances by reactions, resistance to currents, to heat and so on.

"Geophysics," says this Government bulletin, "has progressed beyond the experimental stage, and the application of the science by such industries as oil and mining has already resulted in locating valuable resources. Some large companies have their own geophysicists, while there are other concerns that specialize in geophysics and offer the services of experts commercially."

The Bureau of Mines is careful to state, however, that everybody claiming to know how to locate mineral resources by new scientific methods that have to do with the reaction of the earth to magnetic, gravitational, electric, seismic, geothermal and radioactive fields is not necessarily fit to perform this work. "These men have to be highly trained mathematicians, physicists and geologists."

Communities, sooner or later, that start out to test localities for minerals will employ such experts and save a good deal of money. They may save it by finding out for good and all that they are outside mineral zones, so that periodical revivals of oil excitement, or other mineral interest, will not induce the spending of useless money. Employment of Government or private geophysical experts, however, according to the Bureau of Mines bulletin on this subject, "is not likely to be brought about until the public is convinced of the importance and necessity of the work."

Coming Back to Life. —Chicago Tribune.

PRESS COMMENT.

Chicago Progresses.

Cynthiana Log Cabin: Chicago will celebrate a "century of progress." From tomahawk to machine gun.

Wasted Energy.

Indianapolis News: Cussing a cold motor may relieve your feelings, but it doesn't make the motor start any sooner.

Put and Take.

Arkansas Gazette: Funds for prohibition enforcement are the intake for the upkeep of the downput of the output.

Cold Stuff.

St. Louis Post-Dispatch: Seems to us that Byrd set out for the South Pole at a moment when it makes mighty cold reading.

Paying Toll.

Louisville Courier-Journal: Speaking of expanding plans of Work, a lot of novices at "contract" could qualify as experts on bridge tolls.

They'll Waltz Him Out.

St. Louis Post-Dispatch: Trotzky, exiled in Constantinople, is learning the language there. Soon he will be the perfect Turkish Trotzky.

Louder and Funnier.

Detroit News: Every time the matter is taken up of a nation-wide anti-noise campaign, some one comes out with a louder and funnier automobile horn.

How About Fashions?

Elizabethtown News: With eight women in Congress, we look any time for the Congressional Record to break out in cigarette and cosmetic advertising.

Pinnacle of Success.

Philadelphia Inquirer: "A successful man," observes a contemporary, "is one who makes more money than his family can spend." H'm; that's our idea of a miracle man.

Plenty of Dialects.

Philadelphia Inquirer: Columbia University has a phonographic record that contains more than 200 dialects, but on an average night it's possible to hear that many on the radio.

The Liquid Type?

New Orleans Times Picayune: "Canada has developed a borer resistant corn." But how much more important it would have been had the discovery been a human family resistant to bores.

Just Imagine.

Detroit News: Hexamethylenetetramine is given a higher rate in the Hawley agricultural tariff. And we are trying to imagine a vegetable huckster going up the street crying anything like that.

JUST FOLKS

By EDGAR A. GUEST

STOCK MARKET DISASTER.

Yesterday a millionaire he thought himself to be,
Today he humbly walks the streets along with you and me
And all that happened over night to change his fortune so,
A boy before a blackboard altered numbers in a row.
And where was written 59 appeared the figure 10.
'Tis curious what little things affect the lives of men!

He thought himself a millionaire; today his house was sold
To pay for those securities he found he couldn't hold.
And sitting in a smoky room where mad men raved and roared,
He dumbly watched a youthful clerk write numbers on a board.
And when a certain 59 was changed to number 10,
The millionaire of yesterday was penniless again.

Oh, what a curious life we live! How strangely we are swayed:
By what unusual events are fortunes lost and made!
Secure he was the day before, erect and proud and strong,
And now a creature of despair the street he walks along.
They say the brokers closed him out and took away his hoard
Because a youthful clerk had changed the figures on a board.

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Another Letter From a Bald-Headed Dad to a Flapper Daughter.

By ROBERT QUILLEN

MY DEAR LOUISE:

When you were in the third grade, we sent you to school in silk stockings. It wasn't an intentional extravagance, for experience had taught us that you would do less tree climbing if you wore clothes that tickled your vanity.

In this instance, however, we misjudged you. You came home with a heavy heart and asked for cotton stockings. "The other girls wear cotton ones," you said, "and I don't want to be different."

The years haven't changed you in that particular, and there's little danger of your becoming a snob; but last night you heard the crowd here at home telling what they would do if they were rich, and I want to undo any harm their chatter may have done.

"When in Rome do as the Romans do" is good advice, if the Romans aren't doing anything that offends your conscience. It is vulgar to make yourself conspicuous. You can learn to adjust yourself to any environment chance finds you in.

But here is one thing you must remember if you would avoid the worst form of vulgarity.

Don't try to light higher than you can roost.

Don't dress a part you can't act.

In a land where all men are equal if they have money enough, almost everybody aspires to climb higher and "be somebody," and those who win wealth quickly are prone to put on style before they know how to do it.

That is the common vulgarity of democracies. Jerry wearing a silk hat and wiping his nose on his coat sleeve. The McGinnis family buying a $2,000 rug for the "front room" and permitting the goat to graze on it. A new millionaire's wife at the opera in a string of $200,000 pearls, telling fellow music lovers she knew Wagner when he played short for Pittsburgh.

Do you see what I'm driving at? Develop as fast as you can; cultivate an appetite for the best things; spend your money for old etchings if you can appreciate them.

But don't spend a cent for show. Don't order caviar if you prefer corned beef. Don't buy books as furniture. Don't pretend you enjoy "culture" you don't give a hoot for. Don't build a mansion if you can't live up to it.

In short, don't be vulgar. It's vile. It's shameful. Pretending to be something you aren't just proves you're ashamed of what you are.

A woman merely advertises her vulgarity if she discusses silk in a gingham tone of voice. Love,

DAD.

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THE ONCE OVER

By H. I. PHILLIPS

THE TELEPHONIC SEA CHANTIES.

(Now possible to phone ships at sea.—News item.)

(After Allen Cunningham.)

A wet sheet and a flowing sea,
A wind that follows fast
And fills the white and rustling sail
And bends the gallant mast;
And bends the gallant mast, my boys,
While like . . . oh, pardon me . . .
I hear the phone bell ringing and
I guess the call's for me.
Oh for a soft and gentle wind!
I heard a fair one cry;
But give to me the howling breeze
And white waves heaving high;
And white waves heaving high, my boy,
The good ship . . . damn it all!
That phone is ringing once again,
I'll have to take the call.
There's tempest in the horned moon
And lightning in yon cloud,
And hark the music, mariners!
The wind is piping loud;
The wind is piping loud, my boys,
Oh, listen to its moan . . .
I would but I must answer, boys,
The blank-blank telephone!

* * * *

(After John Masefield.)

I must go down to the seas again, to the lonely sea and the sky.
And all I ask is a tall ship and a star to steer her by;
And the wheel's kick and the wind's song and the white gulls winging—
And a gray mist on the sea's face, and a phone bell ringing.
I must go down to the seas again, for the call of the running tide
Is a wild call and a clear call that cannot be denied;
And all I ask is a windy day with a strong breeze moaning
And the flung spray and the blown spume, and the telephoning.
I must go down to the seas again, to the vagrant gypsy life,
To the gull's way and the whale's way where the wind's like a whetted knife.
And all I ask is a merry yarn and the right to choose it,
And a night call on the ship's phone and a "Please excuse it."

NO SUNDAY DRIVERS, EITHER.

Soviet Russia has abolshied Sunday, the idea being, no doubt, to avoid the automobile congestion found in more civilized countries.

HOW IT MUST BE DONE.

Clerk: There's a man outside to see you.

Employment Manager of Department Store: What's he look like?

Clerk: He's very tall and thin, quite emaciated, cross-eyed, red-headed and has an enormous red mustache.

Employment Manager: Good! He's just the type for our store Santa Claus.

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CRADLE PLUTOCRATS.

Precocity in children generally shows itself in some intellectual way, according to the New York Sun, but recent evidence discloses a new kind of prodigy. A 7-year-old girl who died in Elmira has left an estate of $15,000, and a man in Chicago who broke open his baby's bank to cover stock margin losses removed $1,700. These examples of infant genius in finance will no doubt be pounced upon as signs of a new aspect of decadence by those idealists who declaim so loudly against "this mercenary age." To what, indeed, will the world come if little Mary should learn to tilt her nose at uncle's offer of a dime for her bank? Has the day arrived when dad may borrow $100 from his 5-year-old, and later when Georgie goes to college will papa write weekly pleas to him for money? Perhaps in another "receding market" speculators will be saved by the city's kindergarten classes.

Truth Ratio.

Kansas City Star: Statistics collected by the Massachusetts registrar of motor vehicles show that of 30,000 persons who were questioned after they had figured in motor accidents, only six were truthful enough to admit they had been driving faster than 20 miles an hour when the accident happened, while only one man in 30,000 admitted that he had been at fault. The ratio is considerably higher than we had anticipated.

A Few Don'ts.

Houston Post Dispatch: Don't drive a car while intoxicated. Don't do anything while intoxicated. Don't get intoxicated. Don't approach a street intersection at a high rate of speed; there may be another fool approaching at right angles.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

Jerseyman Says the Senate Must Go —But How to Make it Go Is a Puzzle.

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: As you doubtless know, there is an opinion developing throughout the Nation that the United States Senate has outgrown its usefulness. One of the major benefits of the Revolution was arrest of the tendency in the British-American colonies toward the creation of another Europe, composed of nations adverse to each other. Already in colonial times sectional antagonisms had developed, and these jealousies were almost strong enough in 1787 to prevent the creation of our nation. There was a deadlock in the convention representing the then independent States, which was broken by means of the compromise suggested by Franklin, by which all States were given equal representation (as States) in a Senate. This compromise worked well until the termination of another compromise—the Mason Dixon Line—was effected by the Civil War. A compromise is nothing more than a postponement of the settlement of a dilemma and has never been a finality.

The United States Senate, as now constituted, having become a hindrance to progress in the United States, the time has come to discard it or to make it better representative of the will of the voters.

In this century sectionalism is virtually dead, the Nation is homogeneous, the interests of one State are, in the main, the interests of all. There is no need of representation by two houses. The Senate, like the House of Lords of Great Britain, is now a burdensome anachronism. There is no good reason why Nebraska should have more voting power per capita in national affairs than Virginia. Our House of Representatives, deriving its authority from direct mandate of the voters, has become much more constructive and conservative and progressive and more dignified than the Senate. Its mental caliber would be greatly improved if each electorate were enabled to select its representative from any place within a State instead of within its own confines.

The Senate must go! but how it can be shaken from the body politic does not appear. It now exists by a sort of "divine right," in a position to defy the will of the voters and of a State. In Great Britain the claws of the lords have been clipped, and Parliament has the power to abolish the so-called upper house, if it has the will. Are the voters in the United States helpless to deal with a body, supposedly representing the States, that has itself swept away the last vestige of States' rights? Must this necessary reform be effected by revolution? The Constitution was formulated by a convention of representatives of all the erstwhile colonies. Is there any means by which a convention can be created to revise the National Constitution? Oh, for another Franklin

HENRY LEWIS BULLEN.

Jersey City, N. J., Dec. 12.

Question Is Raised as to Size of Majority Behind a Law.

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: Many questions are settled by the voice of a majority. This majority is arrived at in divers ways to suit the occasion, sometimes by methods somewhat archaic. A jury can call for a 100 per cent verdict, an election can be settled by one vote. When a law is passed affecting the whole public in either a community or country it would be well to put special emphasis on the size of the majority in comparison with other laws. This to determine what would be safe to advance or not.

A law that is not indorsed by nearly 100 per cent of the public is not for the public benefit. A law which gets barely 50 per cent support is a direct element of danger. It divides a country. The powers of a penitentiary are exceedingly limited, and the last several months have illustrated the dangers. The percentage questions crop up again. If 49 per cent of our public were criminals could the other 51 per cent keep them in limbo?

There are many laws and regulations that we may not exactly like personally, but they are accepted and obeyed. A country without laws would be in a state of anarchy.

If any statistician had any figures on what might be a correct percentage of a public in favor of such drastic laws as our prohibition laws are, to make them workable and respected and feared, those figures would show the fallacy of a 50-50 idea on law making. Moses in his laws had his eyes on a 100 per cent argument, and they are valid today. If he had other ideas he did not develop a brainstorm about it. A higher power would move when ready.

FRED T. HAFELFINGER.

The Best Christmas Gift.

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: "What shall I give for Christmas?" Many people are asking this question. Gift of yourself. Write a good letter to your friends and they will appreciate it more than the customary tokens. Some of your acquaintances have passed the noonday of life. A letter of good will and encouragement from you will delight them beyond measure.

There are elderly people to whom you have never written. A letter from you to them would be an oasis in the desert road of life.

When you have written as many as your time will permit and are in just the right mood for writing your very best, pen a missive of love and gratitude to mother.

S. TOLEDO SHERRY.

South Sioux City, Nebr. Dec. 10.

Pennsylvanian Commends The Post, for Which Much Thanks.

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: Am old now. It is my privilege to tell you that this morning's issue of your paper is one of the finest samples of American journalism I ever saw—especially your leader, the editorial on Senator Grundy.

You have a real humorist writing "Daily O'Currences," as good as ever I saw, and I like, too, your philosopher, Quillen.

M. W. WILSON,
Of Millsburg, Pa.

U. S. WILL PROTECT CALLES AT LAREDO

Armed Guards Will Prevent Arrest on Killing Count if Necessary.

GENERAL IN NEW YORK

Laredo, Tex., Dec. 13 (A.P.).—The United States Government will protect, with armed forces if necessary, the passage of Plutarco Elias Calles, former president of Mexico, through Laredo, John A. Valls, district attorney here, who has threatened to arrest Calles in connection with the slaying of two Mexicans in 1922, was informed today.

Richard Boyce, American Consul at Nuevo Laredo, across the Rio Grande, in Mexico, called at the office of the district attorney and notified him officially that the American Government would protect with armed force the diplomatic immunity which it granted Gen. Calles when it visaed his diplomatic passport.

A warrant charging Calles with conspiracy in the death of Gen. Lucio Blanco and Col. Aurelio Martinez here in 1922 is in the hands of the sheriff, but Valls announced today that he had notified the State Department that he would respect a certificate from that department attesting Calles' diplomatic immunity.

Valls Makes Short Reply.

Valls' only reply to the threat of armed force was:

"We will wait for Friday the thirteenth to pass before making any further comments."

This information Valls included in a communication to the State Department, in which he said the law would be allowed to take its course if such immunity were not extended to Calles.

Valls' letter was in reply to a communication from the State Department forwarded through Consul Boyce advising the district attorney that Calles bore a Mexican diplomatic passport visaed by the proper authorities and that the President of the United States recognized Calles' diplomatic status. The letter requested a statement of Valls' intentions in the matter.

Calles Reaches New York.

New York, Dec. 13 (A.P.).—Apparently in better health than when he passed through New York a few months ago bound for Europe, former President Plutarco Elias Calles, of Mexico, returned today aboard the liner Bremen.

He was greeted by a group of high Mexican officials and a representative of the United States Department of State. Smilingly he answered many questions put to him by newspapermen concerning his own plans and the future of his country, which he painted in bright colors.

Ortiz Rubio Arrives.

After formal greetings aboard the liner and at the pier, Calles was escorted to the Pennsylvania Hotel, where shortly afterward President-elect Paschal Ortiz Rubio, of Mexico, arrived for a conference. President-elect Pascual Ortiz Rubio of Mexico, prominent Mexican officials have been in New York for several days.

Among those who greeted Calles aboard the Bremen were Ambassador Manuel C. Tellez, of Mexico; Mexican Consul General Enrique Ruiz and Alan Dawson, representing the United States Department of State.

Calles said he will leave New York tomorrow on his journey back to Mexico. He and his party plan to go by way of St. Louis, but the point at which they will cross the border is not known.

(Associated Press.)

The diplomatic visa placed on the passport of former President Calles of Mexico is considered by the State Department to preclude any possibility of his arrest on any charge within the United States.

The State Department December 9 instructed the American consulate at Nuevo Laredo, Mexico, to advise District Attorney Valls, on the American side of the border, that Calles had a diplomatic passport issued by the Mexican government and a diplomatic visa granted him by the "appropriate authorities" of the American Government.

The consulate was directed to show Valls a telegram signed by Secretary Stimson containing the information to indicate that the State Department considers that former President Calles has full diplomatic status and is immune to molestation by any police authority.

The department indicated it considered the incident closed and assumed Calles would be given no trouble before returning to Mexico.

Two Californians Die On Gallows for Murder

San Quentin, Calif., Dec. 13 (A.P.).—George Costello and Antone Negra were hanged here today for murder. Costello went to the gallows first. The men were to have been hanged together, but Negra collapsed and his execution had to be delayed 26 minutes.

Costello was hanged for the murder of William McFarlan, Oakland bank teller, who was killed during a holdup by Costello and two companions. Negra was executed for the murder of Ralph Amabile, his brother-in-law and business partner. He protested his innocence.

13 Pounds of Twins Born on Friday, 13th

Kansas City, Dec. 13 (A.P.).—Mr. and Mrs. Gus Forrest, of Kansas City, are not superstitious, but they were impressed with a strange coincidence on this Friday the 13th.

Mrs. Forrest gave birth this morning to 13 pounds of twins, a boy, weighing 7 pounds, and a 6-pound girl. Counting the father and mother there are now thirteen members in the family.

Italian Senate Passes Fascist Bill.

Rome, Dec. 13 (A.P.).—The Italian Senate today approved the government's bill modifying the constitution of the grand council and the internal organization of the Fascist party. The vote was 220 to 20.

Schedule Change R., F. & P. R. R.

Beginning December 15, leave for Richmond and S. A. L. 12:01 a. m. instead of 12:20 a. m.; 3:30 p. m. instead of 3:40 p. m.—Adv.

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The Listening Post

By CARLISLE BARGERON

BILL VARE must look back now and realize that when he figuratively mounted a soap box in the hotel at Kansas City in June of 1928 and proclaimed his allegiance to the Hoover cause, waning as his statement did, that there need be no monkey-shines from the Mellons—he must now realize that he did not do the right thing.

It may not be that he did the wrong thing because things may not have turned out any better for him had he pursued another course, but he certainly did not do the right thing, because it availed him nothing at all.

The conclusion among the political observers has always been that Vare figured that a tie up with the Hoover forces would get him into the Senate. And he was not wholly without a leg on which to stand.

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PARTICULARLY did things brighten up for him when after Hoover's nomination all the Republican factions came arunning to get on the bandwagon and George Akerson gave considerable emphasis on an occasion to his reference to "Senator Vare" when, of course, it was only senator-elect.

At any rate, a Hoover victory seemed to spell a Hoover Senate as well as a Hoover House.

Now, it was reasoned by many well reasoning men that Hoover would certainly not let a Hoover Senate throw Vare to the wolves. He would be appreciative, it was reasoned, and deeply so, of what Vare had done.

Because there is no doubt, certainly not much, that Vare's action at Kansas City had a considerable psychological influence in the break-up of the anti-Hoover cause.

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AT THE time his statement was made there were men in closed rooms still figuring ways and means to stop Hoover, to draft Coolidge, to advance Hughes or do something of the kind. It was recognized at the time, of course, that before any one could be nominated save Hoover, he had to be stopped.

The belief still persists in many minds that had Coolidge been drafted he would have run; at least a movement toward drafting him could have been utilized to stop Hoover.

But the Coolidge draft movement was a ticklish business. It could not be undertaken in any such way as to embarrass Coolidge. There could not appear to be a wrangle about it. To get anywhere at all it had to be a thing of unanimity. There had to be the appearance of an irresistible surge to him.

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VARE'S action, in the midst of this meeting behind closed doors, although not involving more than 22 votes, was a warning that this irresistible surge would not come. In other words had the movement been launched the country would have witnessed a picture at the outset—of unanamity. No, indeed, of an outbreak right in the Mellons backyard. So the draft movement never got under way.

Now the Hoover forces seemed to feel very grateful to Vare about this time. But how about the allies? Not Lowden because he was out of the picture and could vent no harm, but Curtis and Watson and Dawes—does any one suppose they felt obligated to him.

It so happened, of course, that it did not turn out to be a Hoover Senate. Whether it would have been different for Vare had he gone with the allies is something that will never be known. But he did not do the right thing at Kansas City and he may have done the wrong one, if you know what we mean.

GUARD'S DEATH IN AUBURN RIOT LAID TO UNDERWORLD MORON

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in the possession of the convicts before they disarmed the guards, whom they seized as hostages with the warden. The warden also disclosed that only the misfire of a pistol saved the life of at least one other prison officer. This man was apparently held by the convicts, for, according to Gen. Jennings, the revolting band planned to execute him and prop his body up against the door in sight of the besieging guards and State troopers as a warning of what would happen to the other guards and probably the warden if they were not given safe conduct to freedom. Gen. Jennings would not name the officer.

"A convict had his pistol at this officer's head," the warden said. "When the final rush came this officer ducked and knocked up the menacing pistol. It misfired, and he was rescued."

Shows Signs of Battle.

Gen. Jennings looked considerably worse for his experience at this afternoon's interview. He walked with the aid of a cane and his eyes were still inflamed from the tear gas hurled into the hall to cover the rush which freed him. He named Capt. John McGrane, a prison guard in charge of the gate, as the man who braved the fire of both besieged and besiegers to drag him to safety amid the swirling gas fumes.

"If the newspapers have been critical of the Auburn guards for any lack of bravery on the part of these officers, I think it is an outrage," the warden said.

He explained that the ten armed guards were captured, one by one, under circumstances which precluded all possibility of resistance.

Gen. Jennings explained that at no time during the parley while he and ten of his officers were held was there the remotest chance of arrangements being made to let the convicts out to save the lives of the hostages.

Question Discussed Before.

The question of what was to be done under a similar situation had been discussed before the attempted break, Warden Jennings said. "It was agreed that no attention would be paid to any such demands from the convicts," he added.

"But we had to stall to gain time. First, the convicts would write a note to be sent out and I would decline to approve it or sign it. Then they would ask me to make one out. I did this once, disguising my handwriting, but they wouldn't let it get out. They didn't like it.

"At all times during the hours we were held the convicts who had us in their power acted with a precision and dispatch that amazed me. They seemed to know just what they wanted to do. With the exception of the times that they abused us and called us very vile names, they hardly raised their voices above a casual, businesslike tone. They marched us around with pistols held at the napes of our necks and they made no secret of just what they intended to do."

Planned to Die Together.

"Steve Pawlak told me frankly that we would all die together if they did not let him and his friends out. They explained just how they had figured the thing out. They knew they didn't have much chance, but they thought they might have a little. That depended upon whether they could get past the inner door. They figured out that if they couldn't get past the door, they would retreat to the south wing and die fighting.

"They didn't seem to be in any hurry. Pawlak told me, 'D'ya know, warden, it doesn't make much difference whether you and I die now or two or three hours from now. We're all going to die together if we don't get out.'

"Sullivan, Pawlak and Luckolker seemed to be the ring leaders. Luckolker was particularly nasty. The other convicts had difficulty in holding him in. He wanted to get ahead with the business of killing everybody and this did not fit in with the plans of the other men. They wanted to use us in their plans of escape."

Capital Youths Named To Princetonian Posts

Princeton, N. J., Dec. 13.—William A. Jameson, of Washington, D. C., was elected managing editor of the Princetonian, the campus news daily, and George S. Mirick, also of Washington, was named business manager of the publication, at the annual election of officers here today.

Nelson P. Rose, of Columbus, Ohio, president of the junior class, was elected chairman of the Princetonian, a position considered one of the most desirable extra curricular posts open to undergraduates. Henry G. Hilkin, of Baltimore, was chosen assignment editor.

Muscle Shoals Debate To Follow Tariff Bill

(Associated Press.)

Muscle Shoals legislation, before Congress almost constantly since the war, was promised yesterday first place on the Senate calendar after the tariff bill is passed.

There was no assurance of when the tariff bill would be disposed of but Senator Watson of Indiana, the Republican leader, told Senator Black (Democrat), Alabama, on the Senate floor that he would be willing to have the Muscle Shoals question follow the tariff.

Last British Troops Leave Rhine.

Ostend, Belgium, Dec. 13 (A.P.).—The last party of British troops leaving the Rhineland after eleven years of occupation embarked here this morning for Dover, England and home.

ITALY SHAPES NOTE ON NAVY TO FRANCE

Success of Preconference Negotiations Hinges on Political Relations.

DELEGATION IS FILLED

Rome, Dec. 13 (A.P.).—The Italian answer to France with regard to attempts to reach an agreement on limitation of naval armaments in advance of the five-power meeting in London is being prepared at the foreign ministry and will be presented soon by Count Manzoni to the Quai d'Orsay.

The success of the negotiations is believed to depend to a considerable extent on the political relations between the two countries. Giornale d'Italia today observed that it was unfortunate that for more than a year all reports to conclude a treaty of friendship with France to solve such vexatious questions as the Franco-Italian frontiers in Africa and the status of the Italian population of Tunis had failed because of some incident which occurred just then. The newspaper said these incidents never were provoked by Italy.

The newspaper pointed in particular to a recent anti-Italian demonstration at Sebenico in which a group of French naval seamen were alleged to have taken part. It was charged they gathered in front of the Italian consulate and shouted "Down with Mussolini," "Down with Fascism."

The fact that no reprisal has been taken despite the indignation caused throughout Italy was said to show the Italian readiness to go to an extreme limit to reach an agreement with France that would contribute to the success of the naval conference in London.

The Italian delegation to the London conference was completed today by the inclusion of Admiral Ernesto Burzaghi, chief of the naval staff, as a delegate, and Capt. Rainieri Biscia, as a naval adviser.

Pope Rocket Boat Fails to Function

Miami, Fla., Dec. 13 (A.P.).—A second attempt of Malcolm Pope, speedboat racer, to propel a rocket-powered craft at high speed ended in failure here today with an accident from which he barely escaped injury. The boat was put into the waters of Biscayne Bay after final adjustment of the rockets and intricate system of wiring had been completed.

Two outboard motors lined up beside the rocketboat and towed it out into the channel of the bay to give it momentum. As he reached position, Pope pulled the first of the six switches, discharging the first of three banks of rockets. The boat spurted forward, as it did yesterday, but stopped. The tow rope from the outboard boats caught around the racer's neck, but he freed himself and was pulled to shore.

Youth Sought by Posse Voluntarily Surrenders

Pelahatchie, Miss., Dec. 13 (A.P.).—Millard Hamm, 18-year-old youth wanted in connection with the wounding of two officers, surrendered to Rankin County authorities today after a posse had failed to find him.

The youth was placed in the county jail at Brandon pending the outcome of the pistol wounds inflicted on Marshal J. H. Nobline and his deputy, B. E. Murray, veteran Rankin County officers. Both are in a Jackson hospital. Hamm is alleged to have fired on the officers Wednesday night while they were attempting to arrest him for creating a disturbance at the house of a Negro.

Retaliation in Tariff Urged at Mexico City

Mexico City, Dec. 13 (A.P.).—The newspaper Excelsior in an editorial today said that a tariff wall was being erected by the United States against the products of Mexico and other foreign countries which necessitates measures of retaliation. It suggested the best way to accomplish this was to open up new markets and in that connection said the recent trade agreement with Argentina was both opportune and advantageous.

Besides finding new outlets for Mexican exports turned away by the United States, Excelsior believed such arrangements would promote closer relations among the sister Hispanic-American republics.

SINO-RUSS BATTLES NOT ENDED BY PACT

Mukden Reports Hostilities Continue, Several Days After Agreement.

CONSULAR AGENTS ACT

(Associated Press.)

The Manchurian government announced yesterday in Mukden that Russian forces were continuing military operations in western Manchuria. Chinese positions in the Khangan Mountains were said to have been bombed.

Previously sporadic raids by Russian troops on Manchurian soil had been reported.

These warlike operations occurred several days after China and Russia agreed upon negotiations for peaceable settlement of the controversy over operation of the Chinese Eastern Railroad in Manchuria.

Russian forces have held all of Manchuria west of the Khangan range since the evacuation of the Chinese soldiers which began about November 20.

There has been anxiety for foreigners in this area left unprotected by the Chinese retreat. For that reason, and despite intimations that they might meet an unfriendly reception from the Russians, consular officials of the United States, Japan, Great Britain, France and Germany left Harbin, Manchuria, yesterday on a special train for the west to investigate.

Nothing definite of the condition of foreigners in western Manchuria has been learned since Russian airplanes bombed Manchuli November 20.

Anxiety concerning American Catholic missionaries at Kanchow, Kiangsi Province, ended with publication at Philadelphia of a cablegram from them saying they were well and that bandit conditions which threatened them November 30 had improved.

German Cabinet's Life Hangs on Vote

Government Confident Fiscal Program Will Meet Approval Today.

Berlin, Dec. 13 (A.P.).—The government is confident tonight that a majority of the Reichstag tomorrow will rally to its support when it proposes its financial program as a vote of confidence.

There appears no certainty that such will be the case, however. There is nothing to indicate the exact manner in which the parties will line up. The German cabinet has staked its life on its attitude in the dispute with Dr. Hjalmar Schacht, president of the Reichsbank and chief German delegate at the Paris reparations conference. Dr. Schacht has announced that he will not approve a large American credit to tide the government over its present difficulties unless the revenues of the country are enormously increased.

On the other hand, the cabinet has given the ultimatum that unless Finance Minister Hilferding is given a vote of confidence the Reichstag may be dissolved.

Confession to Be Told To Mooney Committee

Belleaire, Ohio, Dec. 13 (A.P.)—Mrs. Dora E. Monroe, Shadyside, near here, will leave for New York next Tuesday to tell her story of the San Francisco bombing of 1916 to the National Mooney-Billings Defense Committee, she said today.

Mrs. Monroe declared that her brother, Louis Smith, who died in 1922 in Cleveland, confessed to her that he threw the bomb for which Tom Mooney is serving a life term in a California prison. She has signed an affidavit, recounting the confession.

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By GERTRUDE S. TROWBRIDGE.

There certainly is a difference in the way that faults in people of different ages are regarded. If one is disagreeable when young, allowances are made for the offender as an experienced and undeveloped specimen. But an old person is blamed if not perfected and highly polished by the grind of experience. One constantly criticized old man, when told that a shoe lace dragging, declared in nervous revolt against nagging: "I am worn out—lacing and unlacing my shoes for 80 years. Now, I need a change, so I am going to let them flop."

His daughter reproved him for what she thought perversity but was never critical of her children in similar disarray.

Another old man tried to revive his smouldering self-respect by resenting his granddaughter's suggestion that he wear his overcoat on a very cold day when he had already planned to put it on. He almost roared in his offended dignity: "Now that I am 90, I should be trusted to manage my own overcoat. I am tired of leading strings!" His granddaughter looked out at the storm and wondered why old people, only, behaved like that. Meanwhile, she was picking up without unkind comment or realization of inconsistency in her thought, the sweater and arctics that her boy had refused to wear.

Behind the objections of both old men lay the enervating influences of fatigue and of being thought incapable, with the numbing consciousness that middle aged people are more fair to similar behavior in their children. We must realize that love goes forward and not backward and that, while self-reliance is important in youth, it is imperative after maturity.

WHOZIT?

("WHOZIT?" is a test of your knowledge of history and current events. The statements below describe a character whom you should be able to identify. Match your knowledge and memory against those of your friends.)

1. He was a native American.
2. He was the ruler of an independent nation on the North American Continent prior to the American Revolution.
3. He was one of the moving spirits in the formation of a powerful league of independent nations which ultimately dominated a large part of what is now the eastern United States.
4. His name is perpetuated in a poem written by Longfellow.

Answer to yesterday: Walter E. Edge, Ambassador to France.

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Keeping Posted

On the Rules of Traffic

By WILLIAM ULLMAN.

Overtaking traffic may pass only on the left, under the District traffic regulations. To go by a car ahead on the right is forbidden even though there may be ample room for passing.

The prohibition is based on the feeling of traffic authorities that passing on the right is dangerous, because of the regulation which requires all traffic to keep as close as practicable to the right-hand curb.

Example: A driver is proceeding along Pennsylvania avenue next to the street car tracks. The driver in the rear instead of sounding his horn to signal the car ahead to pull over passes on the right. He has violated the law even though his action was entirely safe.

Brookhart Will Speak At Dry Mass Meeting

The National United Committee for Law Enforcement will hold its annual meeting at the Dodge Hotel today in the wake of the dry meetings. Clinton N. Howard, chairman, will deliver his annual address at 10 o'clock this morning.

A mass meeting will be held tomorrow at 3:30 o'clock at the First Congregational Church. Senator Smith W. Brookhart will speak on "Putting Punch in Prohibition," while Howard will talk on "Holding Up the Hands of Hoover."

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TAX REDUCTION.

Opposition against the tax reduction bill developed in the Senate yesterday and prevented a vote. It is generally agreed that the measure will be adopted when it comes to a vote, but in the meantime the insurgents must object from force of habit. No valid argument has been advanced against the proposed reduction. Politics and sectionalism of the insurgent brand lie at the bottom of all opposition that has been voiced in the Senate.

Senator Norris, master obstructionist, led off the opposition with a plea that the $160,000,000 which the administration wishes to remain in the hands of the taxpayers be applied to reduction of the public debt. Since the war the people have paid more than $9,000,000,000 toward reduction of this debt, and payments recommended in the budget are providing an entirely satisfactory liquidation. There is no necessity of depriving the public of relief that is especially needed at this time to hasten that liquidation.

Another scheme by Senator McMaster would substitute for the tax reduction bill a measure designed to reduce freight rates. This is akin to the proposal of Senator Black to hold out against tax reduction until the Senate has conferred special favors upon his State in the form of fertilizer from Muscle Shoals.

Senator Norbeck and others would penalize the whole country because they fear the public would not get the benefit of a cut in corporation taxes based on incomes for this year. Arguments of this kind completely ignore the fact that the reduction is needed and can be made this year, while next year's budget may not warrant a reduction.

Senator Couzens' proposed amendment to include a permanent reduction of the capital gain tax from 12½ to 10 per cent would be proper if the Treasury could afford it. In making its recommendations the administration admitted that it is hewing close to the line. The Treasury agrees that the capital gain tax should be reduced, but the Government is not now in a position to sacrifice any more than $160,000,000.

The bill should be adopted without amendment. It is sponsored by the administration and an overwhelming majority in the House. Both Republican and Democratic leaders in the Senate indorsed it in yesterday's debate. The bill should be brought to a final vote today and sent to the President for signature before Christmas.

CHAOS IN CHINA.

The plight of the Chinese Nationalist government has virtually shattered all hope that this regime will be able to consummate the unification of China. The Nationalist forces are hard pressed in four different sections. A revolutionary army is closing in on Canton, the most important city of south China, and the capital at Nanking is in such danger that American, British and Japanese warships are preparing to remove foreign residents to places of safety. A rigid tightening up of censorship further indicates the desperate situation of the Nationalists.

A year ago the Nanking government had gained sufficient strength to be able to proclaim the unification of all China under one flag. This unity was dependent on the uncertain allegiance of powerful war lords, but it gave some hope that China might be diverted from civil war. A program for reduction of armed forces, collection of all taxes by the national government, and many other reforms were outlined. The right of foreign countries to interfere with Chinese tariffs was relinquished, and some progress was made toward abolition of extraterritoriality. But the government was not strong enough to carry this program through, and when its resources for settling disputes with money were at an end active opposition developed.

The Nationalists have proclaimed democratic ideals but practiced dictatorship out of necessity. They have not had a chance to establish the kind of government they had in mind. Their present predicament casts a spell of gloom over the political future of China.

Should the Nanking government survive the present widespread revolution its prestige will be seriously impaired. If the revolts should be crushed they would certainly break out again at the next opportune moment. One of the major objectives of President Chiang Kaishek has been to eliminate Marshal Feng from the political picture. But every effort has failed, and Feng remains the chief factor in the present disturbance. Political power is still in the hands of military chiefs. No centralized government can exist under these conditions. The Chinese must expect political chaos, poverty and starvation until these conditions are changed.

ORDER IN PRISONS FIRST.

The mutiny at Auburn Prison has been put down, but the convicts are confined to their cells while a search is prosecuted for firearms that were known to be in the possession of the rioters and which have not been accounted for. In the meantime, the public wonders what is to be done to prevent another outbreak at Auburn or in other penal institutions. The radio speech of Sanford Bates, superintendent of Federal prisons, delivered immediately following the Auburn affair, did not provide an answer.

Mr. Bates advocates widespread reform. Punishment is and should be a deterrent upon a certain percentage of lawbreakers, he holds, but the important task of penology is to remove physical handicaps to success, minimize the economic pressure to commit crime, and supplant habits of lawlessness with a morale of patriotic cooperation to the end that convicts may be released on parole to take their rightful place in society. Penologists are agreed, he said, of the necessity for "Prompt decision and disposition in criminal cases through the simplification and clarification of legal procedure; scientific analysis of the individual and the causes of his crime; special treatment for the irresponsible; strict discipline for all normal or intentional criminals, and the permanent segregation of the defective or incorrigible."

"Overwhelmed with the task of housing and feeding twice as many inmates as our penitentiaries should accommodate," said Mr. Bates, "the real work of our Federal prisons, namely, personal reconstruction, has had to be deferred." Until adequate facilities are provided for the housing of the prison population steps toward reform in the method of handling prisoners can not be taken. The first thing to be done, obviously, is to make murderous outbreaks impossible. Ideal reforms can come later, but unless wardens can enforce order there is no use in discussing scientific reform.

SHORTAGE OF GARAGES.

The District Zoning Commission has decided to permit construction of storage garages in buildings located in what are known as first commercial areas without the consent of neighboring property owners. Action on a similar amendment to the zoning code with respect to apartment houses was postponed to next month to permit a change in the wording. This delay will not be regretted if the amendment is adopted in proper form at that time.

These amendments are a result of agitation to abolish overnight parking on the streets. Widespread disapproval of using the streets as "open-air garages" has developed. The practice results in congestion and adds to the hazards of motor traffic. But automobiles must be left somewhere at night, and as long as no garage facilities are available it is useless to talk of keeping them off the streets. The least the District government can do is to make it possible for apartment builders to include garages in future buildings.

This change in the zoning code can not be regarded, however, as a solution of the overnight parking problem. Hundreds of apartments already built will find it impossible to arrange garage accommodations. Promoters of new projects may not consider apartment garages profitable or desirable. The proposed amendment is a step in the right direction, but the District should look beyond it for a solution to the overnight parking question.

CAUSE OF INFLUENZA.

"As to the causative organism of influenza," says the Encyclopedia Britannica, "we remain even now still in doubt. The view that the Bacillus influenzae (Pfeiffer) was the cause of the disease received little support from investigations carried out since 1918. . . . The vaccine issued (during the 1918-19 pandemic) was confessedly of a provisional nature, since the causative agent was still uncertain. The vaccine must be described as consisting entirely of the 'secondary invaders.' As such its issue was entirely justifiable and its effects were such as might have been expected: Satisfactory in diminishing complications and mortality, but practically nil in preventing the disease. Vaccine, then, can not, as a prophylactic, help us much at present; nor can we, in the light of recent experience, hope for great results from general measures of hygiene."

Great importance is attached to the announcement made this week by Prof. I. S. Falk, of the University of Chicago, that the isolation of the germ that causes epidemic influenza has been accomplished. Isolation of the germ is the necessary preliminary to development of a vaccine that will be effective against the disease or, at least, the formulation of a method of treatment other than the purely empirical. The announcement, of course, must be accepted with reservations. While Dr. Falk with his cultures seems to have been able to induce in monkeys a disease resembling the acute influenza that affects humans, so illusive has been the search for the influenza germ that medical science demands conclusive proof of the validity of the discovery.

If the influenza germ has been segregated, there need be no doubt of the ability of science to perfect an effective anti-body. The history of the conquest of epidemic disease proves that once the causative germ is isolated, it is only a matter of experiment and time until an effective vaccine is developed. When this has been accomplished influenza pandemics will become mere echoes of the past.

SAVING WILD LIFE.

Reports of the near extinction of game animals and birds and the destruction of the last vestiges of wilderness have been so numerous in recent years that it is a pleasure to note a statement from the Forest Service to the effect that big-game animals in the national forests are on the increase. A census just completed shows that all animals in this class, except the mountain goat, moose and caribou, are gaining in numbers.

Deer in the national forests increased their number by 47,400 during 1928. The census shows a deer population of 748,000. In at least one forest, the Kaibab in Arizona, deer have become so numerous that they are starving because of insufficient forage. Elk are increasing in number, as are also antelopes, bears and mountain sheep. Under the protection afforded by the national forests and State game laws further replenishment of forest game may be expected. The national forests contain more than 100 State game refuges and 16 Federal preserves, including more than 20,000,000 acres. So long as these areas are guarded against the hunter there is little danger that the major game animals will become extinct.

The country is evidently ashamed of the manner in which it wasted its game resources in the frontier days. The plight of the buffalo is an example of what results from unregulated slaughter. Now the Government not only affords large areas for protection of game from all shooting, but is restocking some areas from which all game has been driven. After suffering near annihilation, the beaver is again gaining a foothold through "planting." Mountain sheep have been brought from Canada to stock the forests of Colorado and Oklahoma. Arrangements have been made to reduce the overpopulation of deer in the Kaibab by distributing them in other wooded areas. Impetus is given the whole movement of replenishing game by the development of fur farms and game ranches.

Extinction of wild life is a serious loss to any nation. Preservation of game has received tardy recognition in this country, and therefore special efforts are needed to restore the animals which were once numerous in American forests.

LEASING FEDERAL CONVICTS.

The Department of Justice made a contract last October with the Georgia State Prison Commission, leasing Federal prisoners to work on the roads of Chatham County, Ga. In explaining the matter, attention is called to the overcrowded condition of Federal penitentiaries, one of the by-products of which has been a condition of enforced idleness, and the plea is made that it is the part of humanity to make work for the prisoners, and that the leasing is "a move in the direction of advanced penology." But the contract, inasmuch as it specifies that only colored prisoners shall be leased out, is discriminatory. The discrimination between races obtains even if, as the department contends, the prisoners themselves look upon a transfer to the road-working camp as a privilege.

"Convict leasing" is a relic of the dark days, and the phrase is obnoxious to Americans. It is particularly deplorable that the Government should have made a contract in which a racial distinction is drawn. It has no right to favor one State over the others by giving it the use of free labor, the board and keep of which is paid from the National Treasury.

The leasing system lends itself to abuses, and the contract is sure to be a constant source of criticism and friction. It would be well if the department were to give the State of Georgia the 60-day notice required for the discontinuance of the contract.

FINDING OIL

From the Topeka Daily Capital.

Localities interested in seeking valuable resources beneath the soil should consider that the time seems to have arrived when this kind of work can be done in a scientific way impossible ten or even five years ago, owing to the rapid advance in the new applied science of geophysics.

It was only a year or two ago that the Geological Survey at Washington issued a bulletin warning the public against falling for the various doodlebugs warranted to find oil or other minerals. The doodlebugs are no doubt just as foolish now as they ever were, but geophysics has come up in a surprising way and mineral deposits, according to a bulletin this month of the Bureau of Mines, can now safely be said to be discoverable by this science.

So confident is the Bureau of Mines that it goes to the length of saying that "the Government ought to have a man in every State, not for the benefit of private individuals and not to supplant exploration companies, but to conduct preliminary investigations to determine whether geophysical methods can be employed profitably in given localities."

The bulletin states that "the general public is entirely unaware of the immense value of geophysics. Not only minerals can be located by these methods. They are just as well suited to locating nonminerals, or gravel pits, or even water."

In the recent development of applied geophysics the same instrument is not necessarily good for different purposes. Instruments and apparatus are adapted to a specific purpose. Already, however, "there are several groups of methods that have been more or less standardized, some gravitational, others magnetic, others seismic and others electrical, radioactive or geothermal, which indicate the existence of certain definite substances by reactions, resistance to currents, to heat and so on.

"Geophysics," says this Government bulletin, "has progressed beyond the experimental stage, and the application of the science by such industries as oil and mining has already resulted in locating valuable resources. Some large companies have their own geophysicists, while there are other concerns that specialize in geophysics and offer the services of experts commercially."

The Bureau of Mines is careful to state, however, that everybody claiming to know how to locate mineral resources by new scientific methods that have to do with the reaction of the earth to magnetic, gravitational, electric, seismic, geothermal and radioactive fields is not necessarily fit to perform this work. "These men have to be highly trained mathematicians, physicists and geologists."

Communities, sooner or later, that start out to test localities for minerals will employ such experts and save a good deal of money. They may save it by finding out for good and all that they are outside mineral zones, so that periodical revivals of oil excitement, or other mineral interest, will not induce the spending of useless money. Employment of Government or private geophysical experts, however, according to the Bureau of Mines bulletin on this subject, "is not likely to be brought about until the public is convinced of the importance and necessity of the work."

Coming Back to Life. —Chicago Tribune.

PRESS COMMENT.

Chicago Progresses.

Cynthiana Log Cabin: Chicago will celebrate a "century of progress." From tomahawk to machine gun.

Wasted Energy.

Indianapolis News: Cussing a cold motor may relieve your feelings, but it doesn't make the motor start any sooner.

Put and Take.

Arkansas Gazette: Funds for prohibition enforcement are the intake for the upkeep of the downput of the output.

Cold Stuff.

St. Louis Post-Dispatch: Seems to us that Byrd set out for the South Pole at a moment when it makes mighty cold reading.

Paying Toll.

Louisville Courier-Journal: Speaking of expanding plans of Work, a lot of novices at "contract" could qualify as experts on bridge tolls.

They'll Waltz Him Out.

St. Louis Post-Dispatch: Trotzky, exiled in Constantinople, is learning the language there. Soon he will be the perfect Turkish Trotzky.

Louder and Funnier.

Detroit News: Every time the matter is taken up of a nation-wide anti-noise campaign, some one comes out with a louder and funnier automobile horn.

How About Fashions?

Elizabethtown News: With eight women in Congress, we look any time for the Congressional Record to break out in cigarette and cosmetic advertising.

Pinnacle of Success.

Philadelphia Inquirer: "A successful man," observes a contemporary, "is one who makes more money than his family can spend." H'm; that's our idea of a miracle man.

Plenty of Dialects.

Philadelphia Inquirer: Columbia University has a phonographic record that contains more than 200 dialects, but on an average night it's possible to hear that many on the radio.

The Liquid Type?

New Orleans Times Picayune: "Canada has developed a borer resistant corn." But how much more important it would have been had the discovery been a human family resistant to bores.

Just Imagine.

Detroit News: Hexamethylenetetramine is given a higher rate in the Hawley agricultural tariff. And we are trying to imagine a vegetable huckster going up the street crying anything like that.

JUST FOLKS

By EDGAR A. GUEST

STOCK MARKET DISASTER.

Yesterday a millionaire he thought himself to be,
Today he humbly walks the streets along with you and me
And all that happened over night to change his fortune so,
A boy before a blackboard altered numbers in a row.
And where was written 59 appeared the figure 10.
'Tis curious what little things affect the lives of men!

He thought himself a millionaire; today his house was sold
To pay for those securities he found he couldn't hold.
And sitting in a smoky room where mad men raved and roared,
He dumbly watched a youthful clerk write numbers on a board.
And when a certain 59 was changed to number 10,
The millionaire of yesterday was penniless again.

Oh, what a curious life we live! How strangely we are swayed;
By what unusual events are fortunes lost and made!
Secure he was the day before, erect and proud and strong,
And now a creature of despair the street he walks along.
They say the brokers closed him out and took away his board
Because a youthful clerk had changed the figures on a board.

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Another Letter From a Bald-Headed Dad to a Flapper Daughter.

By ROBERT QUILLEN

MY DEAR LOUISE:

When you were in the third grade, we sent you to school in silk stockings. It wasn't an intentional extravagance, for experience had taught us that you would do less tree climbing if you wore clothes that tickled your vanity.

In this instance, however, we misjudged you. You came home with a heavy heart and asked for cotton stockings. "The other girls wear cotton ones," you said, "and I don't want to be different."

The years haven't changed you in that particular, and there's little danger of your becoming a snob; but last night you heard the crowd here at home telling what they would do if they were rich, and I want to undo any harm their chatter may have done.

"When in Rome do as the Romans do" is good advice, if the Romans aren't doing anything that offends your conscience. It is vulgar to make yourself conspicuous. You can learn to adjust yourself to any environment chance finds you in.

But here is one thing you must remember if you would avoid the worst form of vulgarity.

Don't try to light higher than you can roost.

Don't dress a part you can't act.

In a land where all men are equal if they have money enough, almost everybody aspires to climb higher and "be somebody," and those who win wealth quickly are prone to put on style before they know how to do it.

That is the common vulgarity of democracies. Jerry wearing a silk hat and wiping his nose on his coat sleeve. The McGinnis family buying a $2,000 rug for the "front room" and permitting the goat to graze on it. A new millionaire's wife at the opera in a string of $200,000 pearls, telling fellow music lovers she knew Wagner when he played short for Pittsburgh.

Do you see what I'm driving at? Develop as fast as you can; cultivate an appetite for the best things; spend your money for old etchings if you can appreciate them.

But don't spend a cent for show. Don't order caviar if you prefer corned beef. Don't buy books as furniture. Don't pretend you enjoy "culture" you don't give a hoot for. Don't build a mansion if you can't live up to it.

In short, don't be vulgar. It's vile. It's shameful. Pretending to be something you aren't just proves you're ashamed of what you are.

A woman merely advertises her vulgarity if she discusses silk in a gingham tone of voice. Love,

DAD.

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THE ONCE OVER

By H. I. PHILLIPS

THE TELEPHONIC SEA CHANTIES.

(Now possible to phone ships at sea.—News item.)

(After Allen Cunningham.)

A wet sheet and a flowing sea,
A wind that follows fast
And fills the white and rustling sail
And bends the gallant mast;
And bends the gallant mast, my boys,
While like . . . oh, pardon me . . .
I hear the phone bell ringing and
I guess the call's for me.
Oh for a soft and gentle wind!
I heard a fair one cry;
But give to me the howling breeze
And white waves heaving high;
And white waves heaving high, my boy,
The good ship . . . damn it all!
That phone is ringing once again,
I'll have to take the call.
There's tempest in the horned moon
And lightning in yon cloud,
And hark the music, mariners!
The wind is piping loud;
The wind is piping loud, my boys,
Oh, listen to its moan . . .
I would but I must answer, boys,
The blank-blank telephone!

(After John Masefield.)

I must go down to the seas again, to the lonely sea and the sky.
And all I ask is a tall ship and a star to steer her by;
And the wheel's kick and the wind's song and the white gulls singing—
And a gray mist on the sea's face, and a phone bell ringing.
I must go down to the seas again, for the call of the running tide
Is a wild call and a clear call that cannot be denied;
And all I ask is a windy day with a strong breeze moaning
And the flung spray and the blown spume, and the telephoning.
I must go down to the seas again, to the vagrant gypsy life.
To the gull's way and the whale's way where the wind's like a whetted knife.
And all I ask is a merry yarn and the right to choose it,
And a night call on the ship's phone and a "Please excuse it."

NO SUNDAY DRIVERS, EITHER.

Soviet Russia has abolished Sunday, the idea being, no doubt, to avoid the automobile congestion found in more civilized countries.

HOW IT MUST BE DONE.

Clerk: There's a man outside to see you.

Employment Manager of Department Store: What's he look like?

Clerk: He's very tall and thin, quite emaciated, cross-eyed, red-headed and has an enormous red mustache.

Employment Manager: Good! He's just the type for our store Santa Claus.

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CRADLE PLUTOCRATS.

Precocity in children generally shows itself in some intellectual way, according to the New York Sun, but recent evidence discloses a new kind of prodigy. A 7-year-old girl who died in Elmira has left an estate of $15,000, and a man in Chicago who broke open his baby's bank to cover stock margin losses removed $1,700. These examples of infant genius in finance will no doubt be pounced upon as signs of a new aspect of decadence by those idealists who declaim so loudly against "this mercenary age." To what, indeed, will the world come if little Mary should learn to tilt her nose at uncle's offer of a dime for her bank? Has the day arrived when dad may borrow $100 from his 5-year-old, and later when Georgie goes to college will papa write weekly pleas to him for money? Perhaps in another "receding market" speculators will be saved by the city's kindergarten classes.

Truth Ratio.

Kansas City Star: Statistics collected by the Massachusetts registrar of motor vehicles show that of 30,000 persons who were questioned after they had figured in motor accidents, only six were truthful enough to admit they had been driving faster than 20 miles an hour when the accident happened, while only one man in 30,000 admitted that he had been at fault. The ratio is considerably higher than we had anticipated.

A Few Don'ts.

Houston Post Dispatch: Don't drive a car while intoxicated. Don't do anything while intoxicated. Don't get intoxicated. Don't approach a street intersection at a high rate of speed; there may be another fool approaching at right angles.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

Jerseyman Says the Senate Must Go —But How to Make it Go Is a Puzzle.

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: As you doubtless know, there is an opinion developing throughout the Nation that the United States Senate has outgrown its usefulness. One of the major benefits of the Revolution was arrest of the tendency in the British-American colonies toward the creation of another Europe, composed of nations adverse to each other. Already in colonial times sectional antagonisms had developed, and these jealousies were almost strong enough in 1787 to prevent the creation of our nation. There was a deadlock in the convention representing the then independent States, which was broken by means of the compromise suggested by Franklin, by which all States were given equal representation (as States) in a Senate. This compromise worked well until the termination of another compromise—the Mason Dixon Line—was effected by the Civil War. A compromise is nothing more than a postponement of the settlement of a dilemma and has never been a finality.

The United States Senate, as now constituted, having become a hindrance to progress in the United States, the time has come to discard it or to make it better representative of the will of the voters.

In this century sectionalism is virtually dead, the Nation is homogeneous, the interests of one State are, in the main, the interests of all. There is no need of representation by two houses. The Senate, like the House of Lords of Great Britain, is now a burdensome anachronism. There is no good reason why Nebraska should have more voting power per capita in national affairs than Virginia. Our House of Representatives, deriving its authority from direct mandate of the voters, has become much more constructive and conservative and progressive and more dignified than the Senate. Its mental caliber would be greatly improved if each electorate were enabled to select its representative from any place within a State instead of within its own confines.

The Senate must go! but how it can be shaken from the body politic does not appear. It now exists by a shift of "divine right," in a position to defy the will of the voters and of a State. In Great Britain the claws of the lords have been clipped, and Parliament has the power to abolish the so-called upper house, if it has the will. Are the voters in the United States helpless to deal with a body, supposedly representing the States, that has itself swept away the last vestige of States' rights? Must this necessary reform be effected by revolution? The Constitution was formulated by a convention of representatives of all the erstwhile colonies. Is there any means by which a convention can be created to revise the National Constitution? Oh, for another Franklin.

HENRY LEWIS BULLEN.

Jersey City, N. J., Dec. 12.

Question Is Raised as to Size of Majority Behind a Law.

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: Many questions are settled by the voice of a majority. This majority is arrived at in divers ways to suit the occasion, sometimes by methods somewhat archaic. A jury can call for a 100 per cent verdict, an election can be settled by one vote. When a law is passed affecting the whole public in either a community or country it would be well to put special emphasis on the size of the majority in comparison with other laws. This to determine what would be safe to advance or not.

A law that is not indorsed by nearly 100 per cent of the public is not for the public benefit. A law which gets barely 50 per cent support is a direct element of danger. It divides a country. The powers of a penitentiary are exceedingly limited, and the last several months have illustrated the dangers. The percentage questions crop up again. If 49 per cent of our public were criminals could the other 51 per cent keep them in limbo?

There are many laws and regulations that we may not exactly like personally, but they are accepted and obeyed. A country without laws would be in a state of anarchy.

If any statistician had any figures on what might be a correct percentage of a public in favor of such drastic laws as our prohibition laws are, to make them workable and respected and feared, those figures would show the fallacy of a 50-50 idea on law making. Moses in his laws had his eyes on a 100 per cent argument, and they are valid today. If he had other ideas he did not develop a brainstorm about it. A higher power would move when ready.

FRED T. HAFELFINGER.

The Best Christmas Gift.

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: "What shall I give for Christmas?" Many people are asking this question. Gift of yourself. Write a good letter to your friends and they will appreciate it more than the customary tokens. Some of your acquaintances have passed the noonday of life. A letter of good will and encouragement from you will delight them beyond measure.

There are elderly people to whom you have never written. A letter from you to them would be an oasis in the desert road of life.

When you have written as many as your time will permit and are in just the right mood for writing your very best, pen a missive of love and gratitude to mother.

S. TOLEDO SHERRY.

South Sioux City, Nebr. Dec. 10.

Pennsylvanian Commends The Post, for Which Much Thanks.

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: Am old now. It is my privilege to tell you that this morning's issue of your paper is one of the finest samples of American journalism I ever saw—especially your leader, the editorial on Senator Grundy.

You have a real humorist writing "Daily O'Currences," as good as ever I saw, and I like, too, your philosopher, Quillen.

M. W. WILSON,
Of Millsburg, Pa.

U. S. WILL PROTECT CALLES AT LAREDO

Armed Guards Will Prevent Arrest on Killing Count if Necessary.

GENERAL IN NEW YORK

Laredo, Tex., Dec. 13 (A.P.).—The United States Government will protect, with armed forces if necessary, the passage of Plutarco Elias Calles, former president of Mexico, through Laredo, John A. Valls, district attorney here, who has threatened to arrest Calles in connection with the slaying of two Mexicans in 1922, was informed today.

Richard Boyce, American Consul at Nuevo Laredo, across the Rio Grande, in Mexico, called at the office of the district attorney and notified him officially that the American Government would protect with armed force the diplomatic immunity which it granted Gen. Calles when it visaed his diplomatic passport.

A warrant charging Calles with conspiracy in the death of Gen. Lucio Blanco and Col. Aurelio Martinez here in 1922 is in the hands of the sheriff, but Valls announced today that he had notified the State Department that he would respect a certificate from that department attesting Calles' diplomatic immunity.

Valls Makes Short Reply.

Valls' only reply to the threat of armed force was:

"We will wait for Friday the thirteenth to pass before making any further comments."

This information Valls included in a communication to the State Department, in which he said the law would be allowed to take its course if such immunity were not extended to Calles.

Valls' letter was in reply to a communication from the State Department forwarded through Consul Boyce advising the district attorney that Calles bore a Mexican diplomatic passport visaed by the proper authorities and that the President of the United States recognized Calles' diplomatic status. The letter requested a statement of Valls' intentions in the matter.

Calles Reaches New York.

New York, Dec. 13 (A.P.).—Apparently in better health than when he passed through New York a few months ago bound for Europe, former President Plutarco Elias Calles, of Mexico, returned today aboard the liner Bremen.

He was greeted by a group of high Mexican officials and a representative of the United States Department of State. Smilingly he answered many questions put to him by newspapermen concerning his own plans and the future of his country, which he painted in bright colors.

Ortiz Rubio Arrives.

After formal greetings aboard the liner and at the pier, Calles was escorted to the Pennsylvania Hotel, where shortly afterward President-elect Paschal Ortiz Rubio, of Mexico, arrived for a conference. President-elect Pascual Ortiz Rubio of Mexico, prominent Mexican officials have been in New York for several days.

Among those who greeted Calles aboard the Bremen were Ambassador Manuel C. Tellez, of Mexico; Mexican Consul General Enrique Ruiz and Alan Dawson, representing the United States Department of State.

Calles said he will leave New York tomorrow on his journey back to Mexico. He and his party plan to go by way of St. Louis, but the point at which they will cross the border is not known.

(Associated Press.)

The diplomatic visa placed on the passport of former President Calles of Mexico is considered by the State Department to preclude any possibility of his arrest on any charge within the United States.

The State Department December 9 instructed the American consulate at Nuevo Laredo, Mexico, to advise District Attorney Valls, on the American side of the border, that Calles had a diplomatic passport issued by the Mexican government and a diplomatic visa granted him by the "appropriate authorities" of the American Government.

The consulate was directed to show Valls a telegram signed by Secretary Stimson containing the information to indicate that the State Department considers that former President Calles has full diplomatic status and is immune to molestation by any police authority.

The department indicated it considered the incident closed and assumed Calles would be given no trouble before returning to Mexico.

Two Californians Die On Gallows for Murder

San Quentin, Calif., Dec. 13 (A.P.).—George Costello and Antone Negra were hanged here today for murder. Costello went to the gallows first. The men were to have been hanged together, but Negra collapsed and his execution had to be delayed 26 minutes.

Costello was hanged for the murder of William McFarlan, Oakland bank teller, who was killed during a holdup by Costello and two companions. Negra was executed for the murder of Ralph Amabile, his brother-in-law and business partner. He protested his innocence.

13 Pounds of Twins Born on Friday, 13th

Kansas City, Dec. 13 (A.P.).—Mr. and Mrs. Gus Forrest, of Kansas City, are not superstitious, but they were impressed with a strange coincidence on this Friday the 13th.

Mrs. Forrest gave birth this morning to 13 pounds of twins, a boy, weighing 7 pounds, and a 6-pound girl. Counting the father and mother there are now thirteen members in the family.

Italian Senate Passes Fascist Bill.

Rome, Dec. 13 (A.P.).—The Italian Senate today approved the government's bill modifying the constitution of the grand council and the internal organization of the Fascist party. The vote was 220 to 20.

Schedule Change R., F. & P. R. R.

Beginning December 15, leave for Richmond and S. A. L. 12:01 a. m. instead of 12:20 a. m.; 3:30 p. m. instead of 3:40 p. m.—Adv.

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The Listening Post

By CARLISLE BARGERON

BILL VARE must look back now and realize that when he figuratively mounted a soap box in the hotel at Kansas City in June of 1928 and proclaimed his allegiance to the Hoover cause, wraning as his statement did, that there need be no monkey-shines from the Mellons—he must now realize that he did not do the right thing.

It may not be that he did the wrong thing because things may not have turned out any better for him had he pursued another course, but he certainly did not do the right thing, because it availed him nothing at all.

The conclusion among the political observers has always been that Vare figured that a tie up with the Hoover forces would get him into the Senate. And he was not wholly without a leg on which to stand.

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PARTICULARLY did things brighten up for him when after Hoover's nomination all the Republican factions came arunning to get on the bandwagon and George Akerson gave considerable emphasis on an occasion to his reference to "Senator Vare" when, of course, it was only senator-elect.

At any rate, a Hoover victory seemed to spell a Hoover Senate as well as a Hoover House.

Now, it was reasoned by many well reasoning men that Hoover would certainly not let a Hoover Senate throw Vare to the wolves. He would be appreciative, it was reasoned, and deeply so, of what Vare had done.

Because there is no doubt, certainly not much, that Vare's action at Kansas City had a considerable psychological influence in the break-up of the anti-Hoover cause.

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AT THE time his statement was made there were men in closed rooms still figuring ways and means to stop Hoover, to draft Coolidge, to advance Hughes or do something of the kind. It was recognized at the time, of course, that before any one could be nominated save Hoover, he had to be stopped.

The belief still persists in many minds that had Coolidge been drafted he would have run; at least a movement toward drafting him could have been utilized to stop Hoover.

But the Coolidge draft movement was a ticklish business. It could not be undertaken in any such way as to embarrass Coolidge. There could not appear to be a wrangle about it. To get anywhere at all it had to be a thing of unanimity. There had to be the appearance of an irresistible surge to him.

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VARE'S action, in the midst of this meeting behind closed doors, although not involving more than 22 votes, was a warning that this irresistible surge would not come. In other words had the movement been launched the country would have witnessed a picture at the outset—of unanamity. No, indeed, of an outbreak right in the Mellons backyard. So the draft movement never got under way.

Now the Hoover forces seemed to feel very grateful to Vare about this time. But how about the allies? Not Lowden because he was out of the picture and could vent no harm, but Curtis and Watson and Dawes—does any one suppose they felt obligated to him.

It so happened, of course, that it did not turn out to be a Hoover Senate. Whether it would have been different for Vare had he gone with the allies is something that will never be known. But he did not do the right thing at Kansas City and he may have done the wrong one, if you know what we mean.

GUARD'S DEATH IN AUBURN RIOT LAID TO UNDERWORLD MORON

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in the possession of the convicts before they disarmed the guards, whom they seized as hostages with the warden. The warden also disclosed that only the misfire of a pistol saved the life of at least one other prison officer. This man was apparently held by the convicts, for, according to Gen. Jennings, the revolting band planned to execute him and prop his body up against the door in sight of the besieging guards and State troopers as a warning of what would happen to the other guards and probably the warden if they were not given safe conduct to freedom. Gen. Jennings would not name the officer.

"A convict had his pistol at this officer's head," the warden said. "When the final rush came this officer ducked and knocked up the menacing pistol. It misfired, and he was rescued."

Shows Signs of Battle.

Gen. Jennings looked considerably worse for his experience at this afternoon's interview. He walked with the aid of a cane and his eyes were still inflamed from the tear gas hurled into the hall to cover the rush which freed him. He named Capt. John McCrane, a prison guard in charge of the gate, as the man who braved the fire of both besieged and besiegers to drag him to safety amid the swirling gas fumes.

"If the newspapers have been critical of the Auburn guards for any lack of bravery on the part of these officers, I think it is an outrage," the warden said.

He explained that the ten armed guards were captured, one by one, under circumstances which precluded all possibility of resistance.

Gen. Jennings explained that at no time during the parley while he and ten of his officers were held was there the remotest chance of arrangements being made to let the convicts out to save the lives of the hostages.

Question Discussed Before.

The questoin of what was to be done under a similar situation had been discussed before the attempted break, Warden Jennings said. "It was agreed that no attention would be paid to any such demands from the convicts," he added.

"But we had to stall to gain time. First, the convicts would write a note to be sent out and I would decline to approve it or sign it. Then they would ask me to make one out. I did this once, disguising my handwriting, but they wouldn't let it get out. They didn't like it.

"At all times during the hours we were held the convicts who had us in their power acted with a precision and dispatch that amazed me. They seemed to know just what they wanted to do. With the exception of the times that they abused us and called us very vile names, they hardly raised their voices above a casual, businesslike tone. They marched us around with pistols held at the napes of our necks and they made no secret of just what they intended to do."

Planned to Die Together.

"Steve Pawlak told me frankly that we would all die together if they did not let him and his friends out. They explained just how they had figured the thing out. They knew they didn't have much chance, but they thought they might have a little. That depended upon whether they could get past the inner door. They figured out that if they couldn't get past the door, they would retreat to the south wing and die fighting.

"They didn't seem to be in any hurry. Pawlak told me, 'D'ya know, warden, it doesn't make much difference whether you and I die now or two or three hours from now. We're all going to die together if we don't get out.'

"Sullivan, Pawlak and Luckolker seemed to be the ring leaders. Luckolker was particularly nasty. The other convicts had difficulty in holding him in. He wanted to get ahead with the business of killing everybody and this did not fit in with the plans of the other men. They wanted to use us in their plans of escape."

Capital Youths Named To Princetonian Posts

Princeton, N. J., Dec. 13.—William A. Jameson, of Washington, D. C., was elected managing editor of the Princetonian, the campus news daily, and George S. Mirick, also of Washington, was named business manager of the publication, at the annual election of officers here today.

Nelson P. Rose, of Columbus, Ohio, president of the junior class, was elected chairman of the Princetonian, a position considered one of the most desirable extra curricular posts open to undergraduates. Henry G. Hilkin, of Baltimore, was chosen assignment editor.

Muscle Shoals Debate To Follow Tariff Bill

(Associated Press.)

Muscle Shoals legislation, before Congress almost constantly since the war, was promised yesterday first place on the Senate calendar after the tariff bill is passed.

There was no assurance of when the tariff bill would be disposed of but Senator Watson of Indiana, the Republican leader, told Senator Black (Democrat), Alabama, on the Senate floor that he would be willing to have the Muscle Shoals question follow the tariff.

Last British Troops Leave Rhine.

Ostend, Belgium, Dec. 13 (A.P.).—The last party of British troops leaving the Rhineland after eleven years of occupation embarked here this morning for Dover, England and home.

ITALY SHAPES NOTE ON NAVY TO FRANCE

Success of Preconference Negotiations Hinges on Political Relations.

DELEGATION IS FILLED

Rome, Dec. 13 (A.P.).—The Italian answer to France with regard to attempts to reach an agreement on limitation of naval armaments in advance of the five-power meeting in London is being prepared at the foreign ministry and will be presented soon by Count Manzoni to the Quai d'Orsay.

The success of the negotiations is believed to depend to a considerable extent on the political relations between the two countries. Giornale d'Italia today observed that it was unfortunate that for more than a year all reports to conclude a treaty of friendship with France to solve such vexatious questions as the Franco-Italian frontiers in Africa and the status of the Italian population of Tunis had failed because of some incident which occurred just then. The newspaper said these incidents never were provoked by Italy.

The newspaper pointed in particular to a recent anti-Italian demonstration at Sebenico in which a group of French naval seamen were alleged to have taken part. It was charged they gathered in front of the Italian consulate and shouted "Down with Mussolini," "Down with Fascism."

The fact that no reprisal has been taken despite the indignation caused throughout Italy was said to show the Italian readiness to go to an extreme limit, to reach an agreement with France that would contribute to the success of the naval conference in London.

The Italian delegation to the London conference was completed today by the inclusion of Admiral Ernesto Burzaghi, chief of the naval staff, as a delegate, and Capt. Rainieri Biscia, as a naval adviser.

Pope Rocket Boat Fails to Function

Miami, Fla., Dec. 13 (A.P.).—A second attempt of Malcolm Pope, speedboat racer, to propel a rocket-powered craft at high speed ended in failure here today with an accident from which he barely escaped injury. The boat was put into the waters of Biscayne Bay after final adjustment of the rockets and intricate system of wiring had been completed.

Two outboard motors lined up beside the rocketboat and towed it out into the channel of the bay to give it momentum. As he reached position, Pope pulled the first of the six switches, discharging the first of three banks of rockets. The boat spurted forward, as it did yesterday, but stopped. The tow rope from the outboard boats caught around the racer's neck, but he freed himself and was pulled to shore.

Youth Sought by Posse Voluntarily Surrenders

Pelahatchie, Miss., Dec. 13 (A.P.).—Millard Hamm, 18-year-old youth wanted in connection with the wounding of two officers, surrendered to Rankin County authorities today after a posse had failed to find him.

The youth was placed in the county jail at Brandon pending the outcome of the pistol wounds inflicted on Marshal J. H. Nobline and his deputy, B. E. Murray, veteran Rankin County officers. Both are in a Jackson hospital. Hamm is alleged to have fired on the officers Wednesday night while they were attempting to arrest him for creating a disturbance at the house of a Negro.

Retaliation in Tariff Urged at Mexico City

Mexico City, Dec. 13 (A.P.).—The newspaper Excelsior in an editorial today said that a tariff wall was being erected by the United States against the products of Mexico and other foreign countries which necessitates measures of retaliation. It suggested the best way to accomplish this was to open up new markets and in that connection said the recent trade agreement with Argentina was both opportune and advantageous.

Besides finding new outlets for Mexican exports turned away by the United States, Excelsior believed such arrangements would promote closer relations among the sister Hispanic-American republics.

SINO-RUSS BATTLES NOT ENDED BY PACT

Mukden Reports Hostilities Continue, Several Days After Agreement.

CONSULAR AGENTS ACT

(Associated Press.)

The Manchurian government announced yesterday in Mukden that Russian forces were continuing military operations in western Manchuria. Chinese positions in the Khangan Mountains were said to have been bombed.

Previously sporadic raids by Russian troops on Manchurian soil had been reported.

These warlike operations occurred several days after China and Russia agreed upon negotiations for peaceable settlement of the controversy over operation of the Chinese Eastern Railroad in Manchuria.

Russian forces have held all of Manchuria west of the Khangan range since the evacuation of the Chinese soldiers which began about November 20.

There has been anxiety for foreigners in this area left unprotected by the Chinese retreat. For that reason, and despite intimations that they might meet an unfriendly reception from the Russians, consular officials of the United States, Japan, Great Britain, France and Germany left Harbin, Manchuria, yesterday on a special train for the west to investigate.

Nothing definite of the condition of foreigners in western Manchuria has been learned since Russian airplanes bombed Manchuli November 30.

Anxiety concerning American Catholic missionaries at Kanchow, Kiangsi Province, ended with publication at Philadelphia of a cablegram from them saying they were well and that bandit conditions which threatened them November 30 had improved.

German Cabinet's Life Hangs on Vote

Government Confident Fiscal Program Will Meet Approval Today.

Berlin, Dec. 13 (A.P.).—The government is confident tonight that a majority of the Reichstag tomorrow will rally to its support when it proposes its financial program as a vote of confidence.

There appears no certainty that such will be the case, however. There is nothing to indicate the exact manner in which the parties will line up. The German cabinet has staked its life on its attitude in the dispute with Dr. Hjalmar Schacht, president of the Reichsbank and chief German delegate at the Paris reparations conference. Dr. Schacht has announced that he will not approve a large American credit to tide the government over its present difficulties unless the revenues of the country are enormously increased.

On the other hand, the cabinet has given the ultimatum that unless Finance Minister Hilferding is given a vote of confidence the Reichstag may be dissolved.

Confession to Be Told To Mooney Committee

Belleaire, Ohio, Dec. 13 (A.P.)—Mrs. Dora E. Monroe, Shadyside, near here, will leave for New York next Tuesday to tell her story of the San Francisco bombing of 1916 to the National Mooney-Billings Defense Committee, she said today.

Mrs. Monroe declared that her brother, Louis Smith, who died in 1922 in Cleveland, confessed to her that he threw the bomb for which Tom Mooney is serving a life term in a California prison. She has signed an affidavit, recounting the confession.

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By GERTRUDE S. TROWBRIDGE.

There certainly is a difference in the way that faults in people of different ages are regarded. If one is disagreeable when young, allowances are made for the offender as an experienced and undeveloped specimen. But an old person is blamed if not perfected and highly polished by the grind of experience. One constantly criticized old man, when told that a shoe lace dragging, declared in nervous revolt against nagging: "I am worn out—lacing and unlacing my shoes for 80 years. Now, I need a change, so I am going to let them flop."

His daughter reproved him for what she thought perversity but was never critical of her children in similar disarray.

Another old man tried to revive his smouldering self-respect by resenting his granddaughter's suggestion that he wear his overcoat on a very cold day when he had already planned to put it on. He almost roared in his offended dignity: "Now that I am 90, I should be trusted to manage my own overcoat. I am tired of leading strings!" His granddaughter looked out at the storm and wondered why old people, only, behaved like that. Meanwhile, she was picking up without unkind comment or realization of inconsistency in her thought, the sweater and arctics that her boy had refused to wear.

Behind the objections of both old men lay the enervating influences of fatigue and of being thought incapable, with the numbing consciousness that middle aged people are more fair to similar behavior in their children. We must realize that love goes forward and not backward and that, while self-reliance is important in youth, it is imperative after maturity.

WHOZIT?

("WHOZIT?" is a test of your knowledge of history and current events. The statements below describe a character whom you should be able to identify. Match your knowledge and memory against those of your friends.)

1. He was a native American.
2. He was the ruler of an independent nation on the North American Continent prior to the American Revolution.
3. He was one of the moving spirits in the formation of a powerful league of independent nations which ultimately dominated a large part of what is now the eastern United States.
4. His name is perpetuated in a poem written by Longfellow.

Answer to yesterday: Walter E. Edge, Ambassador to France.

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Keeping Posted

On the Rules of Traffic

By WILLIAM ULLMAN

Overtaking traffic may pass only on the left, under the District traffic regulations. To go by a car ahead on the right is forbidden even though there may be ample room for passing.

The prohibition is based on the feeling of traffic authorities that passing on the right is dangerous, because of the regulation which requires all traffic to keep as close as practicable to the right-hand curb.

Example: A driver is proceeding along Pennsylvania avenue next to the street car tracks. The driver in the rear instead of sounding his horn to signal the car ahead to pull over passes on the right. He has violated the law even though his action was entirely safe.

Brookhart Will Speak At Dry Mass Meeting

The National United Committee for Law Enforcement will hold its annual meeting at the Dodge Hotel today in the wake of the dry meetings. Clinton N. Howard, chairman, will deliver his annual address at 10 o'clock this morning.

A mass meeting will be held tomorrow at 3:30 o'clock at the First Congregational Church. Senator Smith W. Brookhart will speak on "Putting Punch in Prohibition," while Howard will talk on "Holding Up the Hands of Hoover."

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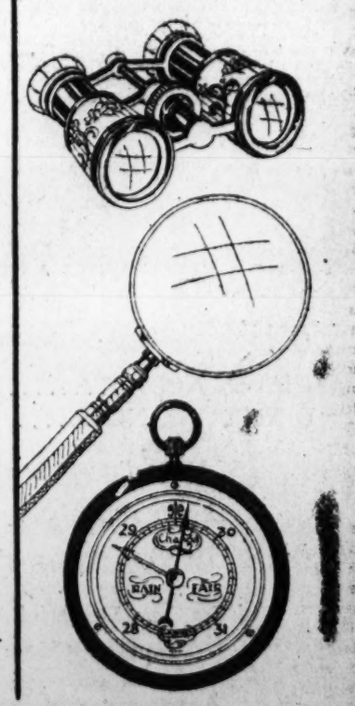

EVENTS OF INTEREST IN SOCIETY CIRCLES OF CAPITAL

Junior League Registers Hit In Smart Fete

Distinguished Audience Applauds Review at Mayflower.

By JEAN ELIOT.

WITH its "FETE DE NUIT" last evening the Junior League scored another success in a long record of gala events, which have contributed materially to the gayety of nations as represented in Washington's cosmopolitan society. And a goodly group of dignitaries, foreign and domestic, were present to see some of the Capital's prettiest maids put through their paces.

Although neither so glamorous as to costuming as some of the league's fetes of yesteryear, the revue which featured the entertainment last night, went off with professional dash and was marked by many clever song and dance numbers. The last had been trained by Mr. Lehr Knowles, of Fostoria, Ohio.

The familiar Mayflower ballroom had an unfamiliar look in its guise of a casino at some gay watering place, with blue and gold striped awnings tilted over the tables and golden stars shining down from a deep blue sky. The long corridor, where guests foregathered early in the evening had the look of a beach scene at the Lido; and the great dining room of the hotel had been commandeered for general dancing. Smart groups filled the boxes and supped at small tables set around the dance floor where the caberet was held.

The show got away to a whirlwind start, with Mr. Reeve Hoover singing "Good Evening, Friends" and Representative Lewis Douglas, of Arizona, in the role of master of ceremonies. Jazz, Beauty, Dance and Melody (Miss Mildred Huston, Mrs. Cortlandt Parker, Mrs. Marshall Marston and Mrs. Harry Eaton) sponsored the 1929 guarantee. "Bigger and Better Than Ever," with a galaxy of merry girls and boys in the ensemble.

In "Cuttin' Loose," the steppers were Miss Anne Devereux, Mrs. Henry Ravenel, Miss Katherine Dunlop, Miss Clara Bolling, Miss Helen Clifford, Mrs. Hugh Rowan, Miss Lalla Lynn, Mrs. H. L. Rust, jr.; Miss Frances Wall and Mrs. Ernest J. Swift, comprising a pony ballet which would have done credit to a Ziegfeld show. Their tap dance routine was a "riot."

Miss Virginia Peters, enchanting in white with a silver wig, presented a classic scarf dance, with Mrs. Chester Snow, Mrs. Gerald Linke, Miss Katherine Carlisle and Miss Hallie Brooke as attendant nymphs, in sunset-tinted draperies.

In lighter vein came "There's a Trick in Pickin' a Chicken," sung and danced by Mr. Charles Hayes and Mr. Corby Fox; and "What's Become of the Chaperone" in which Mrs. Winslow Van Devanter, (the spinster) and Mr. Griffith Warfield (the boy friend) were featured. Mrs. Van Devanter has a true comic gift—and no vanity—else she would have shied from the black silk dress in which her pretty person was disguised, with powder whitened hair, spectacles, lace mitts and a huge gold watch to complete an amusing characterization. In a dashing finale her perennial bachelor beau was torn from her by groups of girls as they used to be, very demure in pink tulle and rosebud trimmed bonnets, and girls as they are today, somewhat more sketchily costumed.

As "An Old-Fashioned Valentine," Miss Caroline Roebling displayed a very charming voice and, all in black taffeta and silver lace topped by a most becoming white wig, led a bevy of tall and slender show girls through the intricacies of "Golden Memories." Miss Elizabeth Hume sang "Baby, Where Can You Be?" and stepped the lead to "Getting Better Acquainted," very prettily, with eight winsome dancers to support her.

Mr. Stephen Nyman's "Rattle and Taps" necessitated an encore. Other effective numbers were "Some Girls, Some Boys, a Dance, a Song," with Miss Katherine Dunlop and Mrs. H. L. Rust, jr., as the girls, squired by Mr J. Lawn Thompson and Mr. S. Binford Valentine; and a winter scene, "My Snowball Girl," in which Mrs. Harry Eaton had the role of Jack Frost, supported by snow girls and skaters. "We'll See You Later" was the refrain of the grand finale, in which the entire company took part, carrying clusters of bright colored balloons and singing "Everybody's Happy" to enthusiastic applause.

Because they are in mourning the British Ambassador and Lady Isabella Howard did not occupy their box, but were absentee hosts to some of the young people of the embassy staff. The Ambassador of Cuba and Senora de Ferrara had also taken a box, as had the Ambassador of Germany and Frau von Prittwitz, and the Minister of Hungary and Countess Szechenyi. Secretary Mellon of the Treasury, who buys a box for pretty nearly every charity fete but seldom attends, was also on the list, as were the Secretary of Commerce and Mrs. Lamont.

Other box holders, most of whom entertained guests, were Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Caspar Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Leiter, Mrs. Gibson Fahnestock, Mrs. Henry P. Dimock, who entertained a group of young friends of Miss Vittoria Catalani; Col. and Mrs. Arthur O'Brien, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Parkhurst, Mrs. Delos Blodgett, Assistant Secretary of War and Mrs. F. Trubee Davison, Rear Admiral and Mrs. Cary Grayson, Mr. and Mrs. Newbold Noyes, Mr. and Mrs. G. Howland Chase 3d, Mr. and Mrs. Terence Shone, Mr. Donald Woodward, Mrs. Fleming Newbold, Mrs. William McClellan Ritter, Mrs. James W. Wadsworth, jr., Mrs. Frank B. Noyes, Mrs. Benjamin Thaw, Mrs. C. C. Glover, jr., and Mrs. Philip Coffin.

Mr. and Mrs. Davidson had guests dining with them before the ball, as did Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Rust, jr., Mr. and Mrs. Winslow Van Devanter, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Baker, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Snow, Mr. and Mrs. Blaine Mallan, Mrs. Aspinwall Allen and Miss Alys Downing. Maj. and Mrs. Ennalls Waggaman entertained for Miss Engracia Freyer and Miss Frances Waggaman, with the Hon Sophie Watson, who is visiting them, among the guests.

Vice President To Give Dinner.

The Vice President, Mr. Charles Curtis, and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Everett Gann have issued invitations for a dinner on Saturday, January 4.

The Minister of China and Mme. Wu have issued invitations for a dinner on Monday, January 13.

Dr. Leo S. Rowe, director of the Pan American Union, entertained informally at luncheon yesterday at the annex of the Pan American Union in honor of Senor Dr. Victor Maurtua, delegate to the international conference of American States on conciliation and arbitration, and Senora Maurtua. The other guests were the Ambassador of Peru, Dr. Herman Velarde; Dr. James Brown Scott, director of the division of international law of the Carnegie Endowment for International Peace, and Mrs. Scott

Mr. Roland L. Morris, former Ambassador to Japan, and Mrs. Morris have arrived in Washington, coming from their home in Philadelphia, and are at the Carlton for a brief stay.

Judge and Mrs. Samuel Jordan Graham entertained sixteen guests at dinner last evening.

W. Cameron Forbes Is Capital Visitor.

Mr. W. Cameron Forbes, of Boston, is staying at the Wardman Park Hotel. Mr. Forbes, a grandson of the late Ralph Waldo Emerson, is a former member of the Philippine commission and former secretary of commerce and police for the government of the Philippine Islands. He also served as vice governor and as governor general of ths islands and was a member of the Wood-Forbes mission sent by President Harding in 1921 to investigate conditions in the Philippine Islands.

The First Secretary of the Italian Embassy, Signor Leonardo Vitetti, has returned to Washington after passing two months in Italy.

Signor Luciano Mascia, until recently secretary of the embassy, has sailed for Italy and will be assigned to duty in the home office in Rome.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Reed Smoot have issued cards for an afternoon at home on Sunday, December 29, from 5 until 7 o'clock, at 2401 Calvert street.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeffrey Parsons, who have been staying for some time with Mr. Parsons' mother, Mrs. Arthur Jeffrey Parsons, on N street, will take possession of the house recently purchased at 1839 Wyoming avenue in about ten days.

Maj. Gist Blair was host to a group of men friends last evening.

Mrs. Walker Is Hostess At Luncheon Fete.

Mrs. Francis Walker gave a luncheon yesterday for her daughter, Miss Helen Walker, and in compliment to the Hon. Sophie Watson, who is visiting Maj. and Mrs. Ennalls Waggaman.

Representative and Mrs. Ernest R. Ackerman will close their apartment at the Wardman Park Hotel next Saturday for a short time and will go to their home in Plainfield, N. J., to pass the Christmas holidays.

Mrs. Edward Everett Robbins will be at home this afternoon after 4 o'clock at 2029 Connecticut avenue.

Mrs. Bessie Parker Brueggeman, chairman of the United States Employes Compensation Commission, will leave Washington the last of next week to spend the Christmas holidays in Pasadena, Calif. She will return early in January.

Because of the great number of private parties planned for the holiday season the Club Boheme has postponed its next meeting from Monday, December 16, to Monday, January 20.

Miss Elizabeth Brawner will entertain at tea tomorrow afternoon in her apartment at 2101 Connecticut avenue in compliment to Miss Eunice Lee Evans. After the tea Miss Evans will have a buffet supper for a small group of guests invited to meet Miss Caroline Sanderson.

Following the hunt a breakfast will be given by Mr. Perry L. West, at Congressional Country Club, where many guests will join the sportsmen.

Riding and Hunt Club Has Chase Today.

The Riding and Hunt Club plans a hunt today, starting from the horse show grounds in Bradley Hills.

Among those planning to follow the hounds are Maj. W. M. Grimes, Mr. Melvin C. Hazen, Miss Elizabeth Jackson, Miss Elizabeth Martin, Miss Gladys Wood, Miss Dick Kincheloe, Miss Elizabeth Martin, Mrs. A. D. Court, Mr. H. L. Rust, jr.; Mr. John Finnerty, Mrs. F. M. Andrews, and Mr. H. L. Cole.

Gov. Harry F. Byrd will arrive this morning at the Willard from Richmond. He will be a guest at the Gridiron Dinner at the hotel tonight.

Among the out-of-town guests who are staying at the Willard, having come on for the dinner, are Mr. George Cook and Mr. R. E. Wilsey, of Chicago; Mr. Robert B. Choate, of the Boston Herald; Mr. Arthur S. Draper, of the New York Herald-Tribune; Mr. Ray D. Everson, Indianapolis News; and Mr. Ralph Beaver Strasburger, president of the Pennsylvania German Society, of Norristown, Pa.

Col. Harry Burgess, governor of the Canal Zone, with Mrs. Burgess and Miss Yola Arosemena, daughter of the president of Panama, arrived at Havana, Wednesday, on the Calamares, en route to New York.

Stars of the Junior League in Its Fete de Nuit

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MISS CAROLINE ROEBLING, as an "Old-Fashioned Valentine," in one of the engaging numbers at the Junior League's annual cabaret ball held last night at the Mayflower.

(Above) Miss Mildred Huston and Mrs. Marshall Marston, who took part in "Some Girls, Some Boys—a Dance, a Song," one of the divertissements of an engaging program.

(Below) A group of "high hatters" from the "Cuttin' Loose" number of the cabaret show. The steppers are Mrs. Ernest Swift, Miss Clara Bolling and Mrs. Hugh Rowan.

Pair in London Wedding Well Known in U. S.

Grenfel-Phipps Nuptials Arouse Interest in Washington.

Of international interest is the wedding of Miss Joyce Phipps, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Phipps, now of London, and formerly of New York, to Mr. Reginald Pascoe Grenfel, son of Lieut. Col. Arthur Morton Grenfel, and the late Lady Grenfel, which took place on Thursday in St. Margaret's Church, Westminster, London. Following the ceremony, a reception was held at the London house of Viscount and Viscountess Astor, uncle and aunt of the bride.

The bride, whose mother is the former Miss Nora Langhorne, youngest of the five daughters of the late Mr. and Mrs. Chiswell D. Langhorne, of Virginia, is a niece of Mrs. Charles Dana Gibson, of New York, and of Mrs. Robert H. Brand, of London, and a granddaughter of Mrs. William Wilson Phipps, who now makes her home in London. She is a great-granddaughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. W. Butler Duncan, the former a prominent railroad official and capitalist of his generation.

Mr. Grenfel's father was a member of the British polo team defeated by the American players fifteen years ago. His mother, before her marriage, was Lady Victoria Sybil Mary Grey, daughter of the fourth Earl Grey. She was named for Queen Victoria, who was her godmother.

Mrs. Thomas W Symons entertained a party of four at luncheon yesterday at the Carlton, Mrs. William Howard Taft, wife of the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, being among her guests.

Otis T. Wingo, jr., To Visit Parents.

Representative and Mrs. Otis Wingo, of Arkansas, will have with them during the holidays their son, Mr. Otis T. Wingo, jr., who is a student at Princeton University.

Miss Dorothy May Bailey, who is attending the Sophie Newcomb Memorial College in New Orleans, will arrive in Washington today to spend the Christmas holidays with her parents, Maj. and Mrs. Neill E. Bailey, of 3015 Dumbarton avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Noyes will entertain at tea on Monday afternoon for Mr. and Mrs. James Vaughan, of Greenwich, Conn., who are passing a few days in Washington. Before her marriage in Greenwich last week, Mrs. Vaughan was Mrs. Elizabeth Noyes Boyd Reed.

Mrs. Shepard Hostess At Dinner Tonight.

Mrs. Lloyd Montgomery Shepard will entertain at a small dinner this evening in her apartment at the Wardman Park Hotel. There will be ten in the company.

Mrs. Shepard and her guests will later attend the costume dance which Col. and Mrs. Augustus Macomb are giving at the Mayflower.

Mrs. Hare Lippincott, of Washington, is at the Weylin in New York.

Mr. and Mrs. William J. Drew will entertain a party of ten at the supper-dance this evening in the gold room of the Wardman Park Hotel. Mr. James G. Crowley will be host to a party of eight and Mr. E. A. West will also entertain guests.

Mr. and Mrs. David Sheldon Barry have sent out invitations for the marriage of their daughter, Miss Cora Berry, to Lieut. Comdr. Wilder Du Puy Baker, U. S. N., which will take place on Wednesday, January 1, at 3 o'clock, in Bethlehem Chapel, Washington Cathedral.

Romanoff Kin To Come Here On Short Stay

Grand Duchess Kira to Be Mrs. Jarves' Guest on Tour.

As a guest of Mrs. Deming Jarves, the Grand Duchess Kira, 18-year-old daughter of the Grand Duke Cyril, claimant to the Russian throne, will arrive in Washington next Tuesday or Wednesday and will be at the Carlton Hotel for a few days. Although Mrs. Jarves has lived abroad for many years, making her home in Dinard, France, she has a Washington background. She is a sister of Mrs. W. A. F. Ekengren, whose debutante daughter, Miss Elsie Ekengren, is one of the belles of this season, and of Capt. John P. Jackson, U. S. N. It is probable that there will be a round of entertaining for this charming young visitor.

On landing in New York, Thursday, after a stormy crossing on the Berengaria, the Grand Duchess Kyra put the quietus on rumors of her engagement to King Boris, the bachelor ruler of Bulgaria, issuing a flat denial that she was to be his queen. Many festivities are being arranged for her in New York, including a tea to be given today at Delmonico's by members of the Russian colony in New York, with Baron Wrangel in the role of host. After her visit in Washington the grand duchess expects to go to Miami, Fla., with Mrs. Jarves and later they will make a cruise to the West Indies.

This daughter of the Grand Duke and Grand Duchess Cyril is a great granddaughter of Queen Victoria and a niece of Queen Marie of Roumania. Her mother was once a much-feted visitor in Washington, coming to take part in a benefit for Russian refugee relief.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank R. Kent have motored over from their home in Baltimore and are at the Carlton for a few days.

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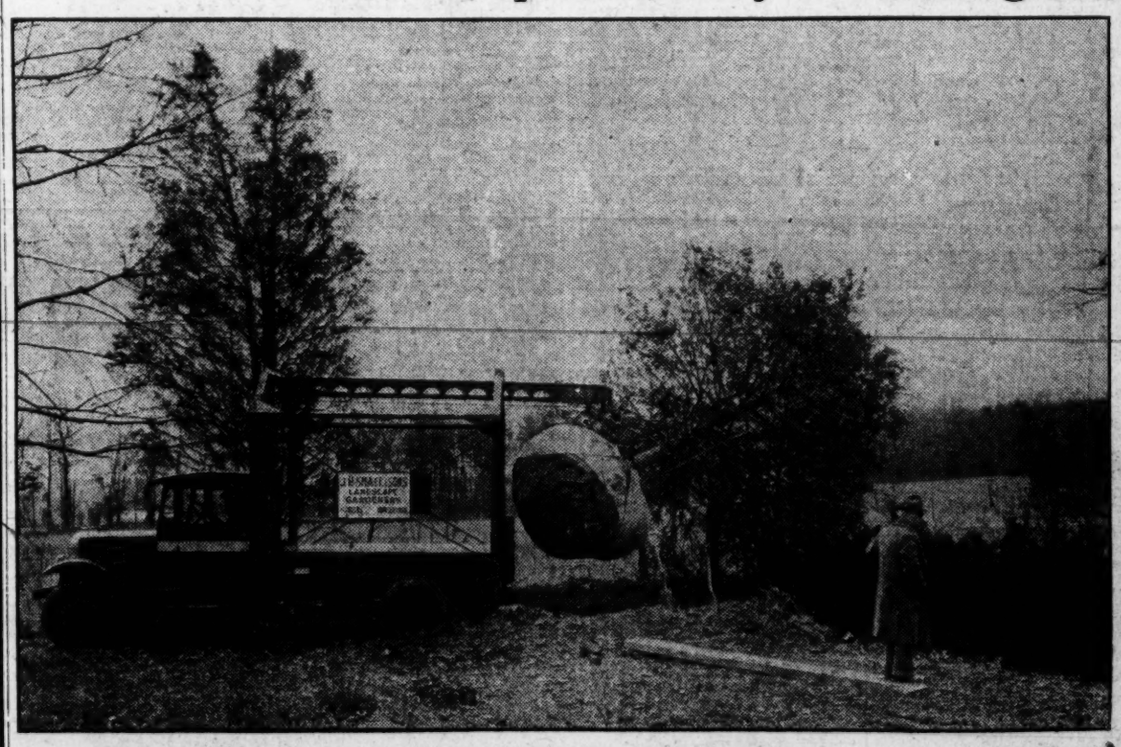

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Glazounoff's Symphony Is Scheduled

Russian Composer Will Be Studio Guest Under Damrosch Over WRC. Dixie Melodies on WMAL—Post News.

Alexander Glazounoff, noted Russian composer, now visiting the United States, will be a studio guest when a concert orchestra under the direction of Walter Damrosch performs his Symphony No. 5. The Glazounoff symphony will be given during the regular General Electric hour from 9 to 10 o'clock, broadcast over a National Broadcasting Co. network, including WRC.

Glazounoff, who reached the United States from Russia a short while ago, made his first New York appearance at the Metropolitan Opera House, performing a program of his own works. The symphony selected for radio listeners reveals the composer's mastery of orchestration, great simplicity and clearness of expression, according to Dr. Damrosch.

There will be 50 distinguished visitors in the studios during the hour, among them Prof. and Mrs. Leopold Auer, Mr. and Mrs. Willem Mengelberg, Mr. and Mrs. Gerard Swope, Mr. and Mrs. Efrem Zimbalist, Mr. and Mrs. George Barrere, George Gershwin and Josef Hofmann.

The performance of the symphony will occupy the entire hour. This is the first of five complete symphonies which Mr. Damrosch will present during the winter.

The half-hour broadcast under the title, "The New Business World," will be presented at 8 o'clock, with Merle Thorpe, editor of Nation's Business, as the speaker.

The question, "Is Small Business Doomed?" will be discussed in Mr. Thorpe's talk. His reply to the question will be an emphatic "no," and he will detail his reasons for this opinion.

"Our discussions so far have centered around big business," said Mr. Thorpe. "As a result there has been a demand for a discussion of small business."

Mr. Thorpe feels that the subject is so important he will devote the entire half hour of the program to this one topic. Mr. Thorpe speaks from the studios of Station WRC, with Harluf A. Provensen announcing the presentation.

A special program for Commander Byrd in the Antarctic will be broadcast between 11 o'clock and midnight through WRC. Charles F. Adams, Secretary of the Navy, will be the principal speaker, with a musical program by the United States Marine Band and the United States Navy Band.

WRC will transmit an hour of dance music, under the direction of B. A. Rolfe, between 10 and 11 o'clock.

Dr. Henry Hadley, Sir Edward German and Sigmund Romberg are presented on the program to be played by Bernhard Levitow and his Commodore Ensemble from WMAL at 7 o'clock.

Dixie Echoes, a program of Negro spirituals and songs of the plantation, will present "I'm a-Rollin' Th'oo an Unfriendly World," "O, Rocks, Don't Fall on Me" and "Sambo Says He Dinah, Does You Love Me."

Dr. Henry Hadley will conduct a symphony orchestra in the half-hour program heard each Saturday evening at 9 o'clock, followed by the Paramount Publix Radio Hour.

Al Kamons' own composition, "Once in a While," will be featured in the dance program to be heard at 11 o'clock. Matt Walker will be the soloist. Other numbers by the Swanee Syncopators will include a version of "Song of the Bayou," "Tiger Rag" and "Just You, Just Me."

"Breakfast Brevities" from The Washington Post will be broadcast through WOL at 8:15 o'clock this morning. "The Family Market Basket" is the subject of Peggy Clarke at 9:30 o'clock, after which a Red Cross speaker from the D. C. chapter will discuss the "Braille System." Walter T. Holt will present a program of mandolin and guitar selections at 6 o'clock. Pat Crowe will relate another of his adventures in the period between 6:40 and 7 o'clock, when Pauline Loria, a blues singer, will be heard.

The Silver String Revelers will close the program.

Station WJSV will present the usual Saturday night program, including the Walkiki Harmony Boys, Big Ed and His Harmonica, Pa Brown and the Little Browns, and the Catskill Trio.

Band Concert

U. S. Soldiers' Home Band Orchestra. Stanley Hall, 3:30 o'Clock.

March, "The Scout" ..... Geyer
Overture, "Beautiful Galatea" ..... Suppe
Suite d'orchestre, "St Anne's Eve" ..... Coleridge-Taylor
That Ancient Beadsman Heard the Prelude Soft.
Her Maiden Eyes Divine.
Porphyro, Now Tell Me Where Is Madeline.
Selection from the opera, "I Lombardo." ..... Verdi
Fox trot, "'S Been a Long Time In Between Time" ..... Monaco
Waltz Lente, "Saints and Sinners" ..... Davson
Finale, "Low Down Rhythm" ..... Greer
The Star-Spangled Banner."

DIAL FLASHES

By ROBERT D. HEINL

THERE are few who can speak as plainly as David Sarnoff, executive vice president of the Radio Corporation of America, did to the Senate radio committee and not give the impression of lecturing or trying to dominate a hearing. Far from resenting his directness, however, the senators seemed to encourage it, and even Senator Brookhart, who time and again had baited Owen D. Young, the previous witness, seemed to watch his step before tackling Sarnoff.

Where once Brookhart plainly got Young's "goat," Sarnoff finding himself similarly engaged in a spirited exchange with the senator, seeing a humorous side of it, began laughing, with the result that the Iowan joined in and the thing ended in the best of humor.

Sarnoff even turned the tables occasionally by going after Brookhart. When Mr. Young offered his testimony, Brookhart sought several times to pin him down to an admission that, under Government operation, an 8 per cent rate would be sought by the R. C. A. Then when Sarnoff came on the stand, the discussion of rates was resumed, with particular attention to the arrangements in other countries. When he got to Germany, Sarnoff turned to the Tall Corn State solon and declared, "In Germany, Senator Brookhart, the government guarantees the private communications companies an 8 per cent return—8 per cent, senator."

THERE was a note of warning when Sarnoff, advocating a unification of all external communications of the United States, cables and wireless, told the senators he believed the British were doing everything in their power to again make London the center of world communications just as it was before the war.

There was also more than passing earnestness in a plea Sarnoff made for the formation by the United States Government of a "foreign policy" in connection with its communications.

"I think there is a golden opportunity before your committee," he said, "to establish what this country has needed most and has not had, and that is a communication policy. I have visited England, France, Germany and other countries and have studied thier systems. I know that when the British Wireless Co. wants to know the policy of its government, it knows precisely where to go for that policy. It knows the place and it knows the man.

"I favor not only the establishment of a general communications commission such as you contemplate in this bill but also the establishment of a policy. If it is to be competition and not unification, we ought to know about it. The industry ought not be asked to make investment until it is certain of such a policy."

Such was the advice to senators of a man today still in his thirties, a world figure in radio, who landed in this country a Russian immigrant. Twenty years ago he was a messenger boy on the streets of New York and later, as a wireless operator, sat at a key for 70 hours receiving the complete list of survivors at the time of the sinking of the Titanic.

FOLLOWING Sarnoff as the next witness in the radio hearing was Maj. Gen. James G. Harbord, president of the Radio Corporation of America, another man with a career worthy of more than passing attention, for he enlisted in the Army as a private and retired a major general.

However, yesterday Gen. Harbord, after a short skirmish with Chairman Couzens, only had time to lay down a preliminary barrage for the action in which the senators doubtless will engage him today.

Mr. Couzens, thinking he had found a discrepancy when Gen. Harbord said he was in favor of the purpose of the bill before the committee, and the general's statements to the press, challenged him. The general replied that while a commission, composed of the right men, might serve the purpose, what he advocated was a department of communications, with an officer in the cabinet.

ALTHOUGH the idea has been repeatedly discounted, there came from no less an authority than Marconi himself, the suggestion that there may be transmission of power by radio at a not distant day. This was part of the history making observance of the twenty-eighth anniversary Thursday of the day Marconi successfully received the first wireless dots and dashes ever sent over the Atlantic Ocean.

So greatly had the art developed, that on the anniversary, people here in the Capital and all over the United States, were enabled to hear Marconi talking in London as plainly and as naturally as if they were in his presence.

Marconi, in excellent English, not only told of his discouragements and subsequent triumph in getting the first flashes across the ocean, but that the American audience might know how crude the first efforts were, by means of a wireless key he repeated the dots and dashes used in the letter "S," which 28 years ago were the first ever to be heard through the air on this side of the water.

It was one of the most perfect of the transatlantic broadcasts, practically no static, and of especial interest when at 1:40 p. m., with the sun shining in Washington, the London announcer concluded his remarks with "Good by and good-night," for it was almost 7 o'clock in the evening in England.

AN HONOR has been conferred upon the Shrine of the Sacred Heart, on upper Sixteenth street in that its Christmas Even midnight mass will be broadcast throughout the land just following the chimes of old Trinity, in New York. The entire Sacred Heart mass, two hours in length, and not ending until 2 o'clock, Christmas morning, is to be carried in a coast to coast NBC hook-up which, of course, will include Station WRC, in Washington.

Incidentally the accoustics of Sacred Heart are considered among the finest for broadcasting purposes in the city and in a class with the Pan-American "Hall of the Americas," which seems to be the most "brilliant," acoustingly speakingnig.

Wives of Tomorrow

By FRANCES M'DONALD

A Gay Lothario.

WOMAN is a strange, deluded creature. Vested by nature with everything needful to make man her willing slave, she insists upon elevating him to the position of master, after which both are as uncomfortable as possible.

Wilma is broadcasting:

"I met him at a house party and we fell for each other at once. With me it was my first real love. But he was experienced. All he talked about was the women who had loved him. He raved about them till I was miserable, then he would take me in his arms and say they were only memories but I was real. All my jealousy would vanish. Well, that was at first. Now there are new interests. I can't seem to hold such an attractive man. I adore him. He has crinkly hair and such laughing eyes. But he keeps me so unhappy, and he is my whole life."

Especially when his affliction is complicated by a determination to be a home edition of Napoleon. Don't take this lad too seriously, my child. Most of the troubles we women experience with men are caused by our habit of taking the dear things seriously. As a matter of fact, it would be impossible for us to have any trouble whatever with them if we did not invest them with an importance out of all proportion to the facts. But we do, we do. We become interested in a man because of the way his hair stands up and forthwith we begin to load him down with importance till he fairly struts. A mistake, my child, a mistake. And one we all make, some of us going further than others, even to the length of marrying the man. And just because we happened to notice how cute his hair grew just back of his ears. But can we tell him that? Can we expect him to believe that he does not merit the importance with which we have endowed him? Hardly! And our troubles are on their way. His chest gets out of bounds. His opinions are dispensed as ultimatums. He is the master. Oh, my dear, it is very interesting, this thing we do when we vest some very unimportant man with importance. They can't stand it, my dear; they weren't meant for it, and they just strut and boss.

So, Wilma, dear, put him on a diet, cut down the sweets, the honeyed words, you know, and the soulful raptures over his attractions. In other words, just remember that it's all because he has cute hair and not because he is a master mind, and you'll find him a lot more tractable. Try it!

This column is for you! Your experiences, opinions and suggestions will help all who read this page. Express your views and help those in need of advice. You need not sign your name.

Dare Interprets the Mode

Some Christmas gifts that clever fingers can make for kiddies! (Day-ray Ideas.)

Paris, Dec. 13.

ANYTHING from one to twelve children for whom to get Christmas gifts, probably on a limited income is anything but funny and presents a problem that is truly a problem.

Just wander through the toy department of any large store and price the toys you would like for the children on your Christmas list. Lovely things for children seem to become more expensive every year, and I for one admit to considerable discouragement over the matter, or did, until my sense of humor saved me. Perhaps not quite so much sense of humor as sense of proportion.

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Who of us fails to remember our most cherished toy! Ninety-nine chances out of a hundred it was the toy of the least commercial value of the lot. Doesn't that give you something to think about? We shouldn't overlook the need for personality in a child's toy . . . and intricate and expensive toys for some strange reason seldom have this. Please don't underestimate a child's perspicacity! Select a gift for a child that he will like, appreciate and enjoy, cherish and always remember you by. Else why give the child or any one else, for that matter, a gift at all?

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Well, I don't know how many children you have to give gifts to, but I know that my list numbers twelve . . . and the dah-lings do seem to have a birthday a month, too!

About every October or November I get seriously at the business of planning gifts for these youngsters. Because, as a rule, I have their gifts made, and do like to give them a lot of little things that seem to amuse them immensely in preference to one large expensive gift.

This year I'm having some of the most adorable things made! We got started making Funnymen and Goofy-Anni-mules out of wooden beads and button molds, which we enameled and stained and shellacked . . . and then we discovered that these same beads and button molds, arranged together with braided colored wool strands, made the most effective and smartest novelty jewelry for 10-year-olds to wear with school clothes!

Well, twelve complete and very novel toy ideas were evolved this year . . . so we just put them in an illustrated leaflet with which to help you with your children's gift problem. Every one of these toys is something that you can make or have made, and something that will be deeply appreciated by the child who receives it. For a stamped, self-addressed envelope, we will be glad to send you the leaflet.

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Better send that other stamped, self-addressed envelope to the Dare department of The Washington Post for the illustrated leaflet that tells you how to tint photographs. Some day you may wish you had, you know.

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Once more, and we hope for the last time, here's the summing up on long skirt versus short skirt—and long hair versus short hair.

Long skirts are definitely feminine and liked by truly feminine women. (Choose your seconds, Fannie Hurst!) But intelligent, modern women are not going to hamper themselves with long skirts for sports wear, for street, or business. Therefore, there just isn't any question at all about whether long skirts or short skirts are the mode.

Oh-h-h-h-h, we'll have to settle the hair controversy next week!

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Tomorrow is the day to look for the weekly Dare fashion letter in The Sunday Washington Post. We feel it is well worth your while.

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How to Keep Well

By DR. W. A. EVANS

To the limit of space questions pertaining to hygiene and prevention of disease will be answered in this column. Personal replies will be made to inquiries, under proper limitations, when return stamped envelope is inclosed. Dr. Evans will not make diagnosis or prescribe for individual disease.

EATING RAW LAUNDRY STARCH.

MANY write about eating raw starch. They say they like to eat laundry starch and they wish to know if doing so will harm them. The reply given is reassuring. The principal reason for cooking flour, potatoes, beans, cereals, vegetables, fruit and carbohydrate foods generally is to sterilize them. Cooking destroys whatever bacteria and worm eggs they may contain and this removes the danger of typhoid fever and whatever other bacterial diseases and parasitic disorders the raw foods may be charged with.

A secondary reason of some importance is to convert the starch into more soluble and more digestible forms. Raw starch is not readily digestible. It passes through the alimentary tract without being greatly changed. Most of it is not absorbed. For this reason diabetics can take raw starch without increasing their blood sugar or urine sugar, but at the same time without getting very much food value from it. It is not much more than neutral material, neither harming nor helping. This is the basis for the answer given those who ask about eating small or moderate quantities of laundry starch.

The process of cooking converts starch from a fairly insoluble and not readily digestible form into modifications which the digestive juices can handle rather readily. Of all the foods of man those composed principally of carbohydrates at once are the cheapest and the most readily digested. It is partly because they are so cheap, so palatable and so digestible that carbohydrate foods are used to such excess with resultant obesity and diabetes.

Aside from the direct effects of cooking on the starch itself the practice increases the digestibility of vegetables and many other carbohydrate foods by softening and breaking down the capsules and fibers which surround the starch cells. In this way the stomach is relieved of some of its work as a grinding organ and the digestive juices get a fairer access to the material they have to work on.

Against the advantages of cooking there is no offset except some loss in the vitamin which protects against scurvy. Perhaps there are desirable flavors which at times are lost in cooking.

MAY BECOME WATER-LOGGED.

F. L. B. writes: Would any bad effects follow my drinking about a gallon of lemonade during a day's hard work. This lemonade is composed of four lemons and a gallon of water with ice cubes and a small amount of sugar. My wife insists ulcers of the stomach will result if I keep this up, and will be the means of breaking my health. I do not agree with her. I used to drink lemon juice in hot water without sugar before breakfast, and once in a great while I enjoy a raw lemon without sugar.

REPY.

The objection to your proposal relates to quantity rather than quality. A gallon of lemonade or any other beverage daily is too much. It overworks your kidneys and heart. You are liable to become water-logged. Having disagreed with your wife, I shall now disagree with your wife, that you may have an easier time at home. Drinking lemonade does not tend to cause ulcers of the stomach.

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What Today Means to You

By MARY BLAKE

DECEMBER 14, 1929.

"SAGITTARIUS."

IF December 14 is your birthday, the best hours for you on this date are from 10:15 a. m. to 11:30 a. m., from 4 p. m. to 5:40 p. m., and from 10 p. m. to 11 p. m. The danger periods are from 1 p. m. to 2 p. m., and from 7 p. m. to 8 p. m.

A rather neutral sort of a day is augured for this date. Effort and determination are required to make a satisfactory link between yesterday and tomorrow. The doors of ready opportunity will be closed, but there are hidden opportunities, which you may find.

A child born on this December 14 will be energetic, bright and cheerful. It will succeed through self-effort, and will not easily part with that which it gains. It will have decided business ability and no artistic tendencies. It will be affectionate and form many friendships.

You have a slight amount of inferiority complex, but it will not, in your case, be a hindrance to your success. The grains of self-misgiving which you possess make you build an armor of foolproof methods around your particular job. You provide for contingencies, and you are therefore ready to meet and conquer them when they come. In this respect you score over those with a superiority complex, who can not conceive the possibility of being mistaken.

Your mental honesty is one of your greatest assets—you do not know how to bluff, and you do not try to do anything in the dark. The only luck you possess is the luck of preparation, and the luck of being endowed with a humble searching nature, which considers the task of more importance than the doer. It takes you longer to do things, because you never give your memory the benefit of the doubt; you save time in the long run because you do not have to do things over.

You are too busy doing your best, and too full of gratitude for the good things which come your way, to let seeds of discontent enter into your heart. You will make a few very warm, very loyal and sweet friendships, which will bring you much happiness and comfort.

Successful people born December 14:

1—Philander Chase—P. E. bishop and educator-founder and president of Kenyon College.

2—Noah Porter—A president of Yale College.

3—Thomas L. Young—A Governer of Ohio.

4—William H. Wahl—Scientist.

5—John B. Jervis—Civil engineer.

6—Joseph Lane—Soldier and senator.

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Baby Mine

TODAY'S WOMEN

By EARL MINDERMAN

DECEMBER 14.

JANE COWL, the famous American actress, was born this day, 1890, in Boston, Mass.

"Romeo and Juliet," in which she starred in 1923, established a record for the longest consecutive run of a Shakespearean play in theatrical history. She was the star of "Within the Law," "Lilac Time," "Common Clay," "Information, Please," "Pelleas and Melisande," "Antony and Cleopatra" and other Shakespearean plays. From 1920 to 1923 she starred with Moonyeen in the sensational success, "Smilin' Thru," in 1929 in "Jenny."

She is the coauthor with Jane Murfin of "Lilac Time," in which she acted and which was produced as a moving picture in 1928. She also is the coauthor of "Daybreak" and "Information, Please."

Two other noted actresses born this day include Gertrude Elliot, 1874, and Adelaide Prince, 1866.

Frances R. Havergal, writer of the well-known hymn, "Take My Life and Let It Be" and other hymns, was born this day, 1836 in England.

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TODAY'S HAPPENINGS

Supper-meeting—District Chapter of the Rainbow Division of World War Veterans at 8:30 p. m. in Arlington Hotel.

Lecture—"Mental Hygiene" by Dr. A. C. Nothstein, psychotherapist, at 8:15 p. m., at League for Larger Life, 1628 K street northwest.

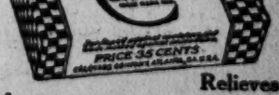
Meeting—Biological Society at 8 p. m. in new assembly hall of the Cosmos Club.

Meeting—Education department of District Federation of Women's Clubs at 2 p. m. in Mount Pleasant Library.

Meeting—Mount Pleasant Citizens Association at 8 p. m. in Mount Pleasant Branch Library.

Meeting—District Chapter, Daughters of 1812, Fairfax room, National Press Club.

Best Purgative for Colds



Relieves the congestion, reduces complications, hastens recovery.

DAILY RADIO PROGRAMS

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 14.
(Eastern Standard Time.)

NAA—Arlington.
(455 Meters. 659 Kilocycles.)

10:05 a. m., 3:48 and 10:05 p. m.—Weather Reports.

WOL—American Broadcasting Co.
(229 Meters. 1,310 Kilocycles.)

7:30 a. m.—Reveille.
7:35 a. m.—Musical Clock.
8:00 a. m.—Birthdays: A Thought for the Day.
8:15 a. m.—Breakfast Brevities from The Washington Post.
8:25 a. m.—Musical Clock, continued.
9:30 a. m.—Family Market Basket.
10:00 a. m.—D. C. Chapter, American Red Cross. "Braille."
10:15 a. m.—Something for Everybody.
11:30 a. m.—Half Hour with Great Composers.
12:00 (noon)—Luncheon Music.
4:00 p. m.—Studio Program.
4:15 p. m.—Prof. S. Honduras, Character Analyist.
4:30 p. m.—Request Program for Walter Reed Hospital.
5:00 p. m.—Tea Time.
5:30 p. m.—Racing Results.
6:00 p. m.—What's On the Air Tonight.
6:03 p. m.—Walter T. Holt's Program Mandolin and Guitar.
6:40 p. m.—Pat Crowe and His Adventures.
7:00 p. m.—Pauline Loria, Blue Singer, accompanied by Donald Geesa.
7:40 p. m.—Silver String Revelers.

WRC—National Broadcasting Co.
(316 Meters. 950 Kilocycles.)

6:45 a. m.—Tower Health Exercises.
8:00 a. m.—On the Air.
8:15 a. m.—Morning Devotions.
8:30 a. m.—Cheerio.
9:00 a. m.—Morning Melodies.
10:00 a. m.—Hits and Bits.
11:00 a. m.—Three Little Maids.
11:15 a. m.—Radio Household Institute.
11:45 a. m.—"From Paris to London," by Elsie W. Quaife.
12:00 (noon)—Twelve o'Clock Trio.
12:15 p. m.—Astor Orchestra.
1:00 p. m.—National Farm and Home Hour—Land Grant College Program.
1:45 p. m.—The High Steppers.
2:00 p. m.—The Melody Three.
3:00 p. m.—The Marionettes.
4:00 p. m.—NBC Studio Program.
4:30 p. m.—White's Orchestra.
5:00 p. m.—The Tea Timers.
5:30 p. m.—The Lady Next Door.
6:00 p. m.—Bible Talk by the Hon. David Hogg, member of Congress from Indiana.
6:15 p. m.—Black and Gold Room Orchestra.
6:58 p. m.—Correct Time.
7:00 p. m.—Amos 'n' Andy.
7:15 p. m.—Mayflower Orchestra.
8:00 p. m.—"The New Business World," by Merle Thorpe.
8:30 p. m.—Launderland Lyrics.
9:00 p. m.—General Electric Hour.
10:00 p. m.—Lucky Strike Dance Orchestra.
11:00 p. m.—U. S. Weather Forecast.
11:01 p. m.—midnight—Special Program for Commander Byrd.

WMAL—Washington Radio Forum.
(475 Meters. 630 Kilocycles.)

9:30 a. m.—Morning on Broadway.
10:00 a. m.—Personality Plus. William F. Benton.
10:30 a. m.—Columbia Male Trio.
11:00 a. m.—United States Army Band. Capt. William J. Stannard, leader.
12:00 (noon)—Columbia Noon Day Club.
12:30 p. m.—Yoeng's Restaurant Orchestra.
1:30 p. m.—Harry Tucker and Barclay Orchestra.
2:00 p. m.—Patterns in Prints.
3:00 p. m.—Columbia Ensemble.
3:30 p. m.—For Your Information.
4:00 p. m.—To be announced.
4:30 p. m.—Farm Science Snapshots, prepared by the U. S. Department of Agriculture.
4:40 p. m.—Ann Leaf at the Organ.
5:00 p. m.—Club Plaza Orchestra.
6:00 p. m.—Correct Time.
6:00 p. m.—Flashes.
6:15 p. m.—Les Colvin, syncopating artist
6:30 p. m.—A. Clovd Gill.
6:45 p. m.—"Washington's Port and Its Future," by the Hon. John H. Small.
7:00 p. m.—Bernhard Levitow and His Commodore Ensemble.
7:30 p. m.—Glee Club of University of South Carolina.
8:00 p. m.—Benrus Time.
8:00 p. m.—"Exploring the Jungles for Science," by Dr. Arthur Torrance.
8:15 p. m.—Finance Period
8:30 p. m.—Dixie Echoes.
9:00 p. m.—Graybar's "Mr. and Mrs."
9:30 p. m.—The Gulbransen Hon. Henry Hadley and His Symphony Orchestra
10:00 p. m.—Paramount-Publix Radio Hour
11:00 p. m.-midnight—Swanee Syncopators from Swanee Ballroom.

WJSV—Independent Publishing Co.
(265 Meters. 1,460 Kilocycles.)

8:00 a. m.—"Down South" Musical Greeting.
8:06 a. m.—Radio Log.
8:10 a. m.—Grandfather's Clock.
8:15 a. m.—Weather Report.
8:30 a. m.—Flying Weather Report.
8:40 a. m.—Virginia Dye's Menu for the Day.
8:50 a. m.—Musical Program.
9:00 a. m.—Mammy Chloe's Secret Recipes.
9:20 a. m.—Just Folks.
9:30 a. m.—What the Well-Dressed Woman Is Wearing.
9:45 a. m.—The Story Teller.
10:00 a. m.—Musical Sign-Off.
11:30 a. m.—The National Farm News.
11:40 a. m.—Current Events.
11:45 a. m.—Johnnie and Alice.
12:00 (noon)—Correct Time.
12:15 p. m.—Daily Market Reports.
12:20 p. m.—Farm Chat by David Martin.
12:45 p. m.—Is Your Life Safe?
1:00 p. m.—Musical Sign-Off.
3:00 p. m.—Afternoon Musicale
3:30 p. m.—Little Hour of "Whoopees," with Art Stone, the popular pianist, and David Martin, barytone.
4:30 p. m.—The Kiddie's Letters to Santa Claus.
5:30 p. m.—Musical Sign-Off.
6:30 p. m.—Dinner Music.
7:00 p. m.—Address by Col. Charles I. Stenzle.
7:30 p. m.—Sunday School Lessons, by the Rev. William McDougal.
8:00 p. m.—Virginia Serenaders.
8:30 p. m.—Elsie Jorss, soprano.
8:45 p. m.—The Walkiki Harmony Boys.
9:00 p. m.—Alexandria Humming Birds.
9:20 p. m.—Charles Wolf, Harmonica and Guitar.
9:35 p. m.—Clark & Gorley, Gospel Singers.
10:05 p. m.—Big Ed and His Harmonica.
10:20 p. m.—Percy Silverberg, tenor; Art Stone, accompanist.
10:45 p. m.—Thompson & Ziegler, Harmonica and Guitar.
11:00 p. m.—Pa Brown and the Little Browns.
11:30 p. m.—The Catskill Trio.
12:00 p. m.—Good Night.

CHAIN STATIONS.
(Associated Press.)

Programs in Eastern standard time. All time is p. m. unless otherwise indicated. Wave lengths on left of call letters, kilocycles on right.

454.3—WEAF New York—660 (NBC Chain).
6:00—Dinner Orchestra.
7:00—Family Goes Abroad.
7:30—Phil Spitalny's Music.
8:00—The New Business World.
8:30—Lyrics.
9:00—Walter Damrosch Symphony Orchestra and Floyd Gibbons.
10:00—B. A. Rolfe and His Dance Orchestra.
11:00—Troubadour of the Moon.
11:15—Hotel Dance Orchestra.
12:00—Rudy Vallee's Orchestra in an Hour of Dancing.

348.6—WABC New York—860 (CBS Chain)
6:30—Nitwits.
7:00—Ambassador's Orchestra and Vocal (1 hour). WABC only: Bernard Levitow's Ensemble Hour.
8:00—Lombardo's Orchestra.
8:15—Finance Period.
8:30—Dixie Echoes.
9:00—Mr and Mrs.: Joe and Vi.
9:30—Hadley Orchestra.
10:00—Movies Hour.
11:00—Lombardo's Orchestra.
11:30—Hotel Orchestra.
12:00—Bernie's Orchestra: Midnight Organ Melodies.

394.5—WJZ New York—760 (NBC Chain).
6:00—Piano: The Guardsmen: Orchestra
7:00—Amos 'n' Andy.
7:15—Vincent Lopez Hotel Dance Orchestra.
8:00—Celebrities at Chicago NBC Studios
8:30—The Silver Flute.
9:00—Bonnie Laddies: Cub Reporter.
9:30—The Knickerbockers.
10:00—Chicago Civic Opera.
11:00—Slumber Music by String Ensemble (1 hour).

EASTERN CLEAR CHANNEL STATIONS.

272.6—WFG Atlantic City—1,100.
8:00—News and Scores: Orchestras.
8:45—So Different Club
9:15—Trio: Contralto: Tenor.
10:00—Dance Music (2 hours)

282.8—WBAL Baltimore—1,060.
7:00—Concert (30 minutes): Lyrics.
9:00—WBAL Ensemble and Soloist.
9:00—Around the Melodeon.

422.3—WOR Newark—710.
6:00—Santa's Workshop: Pianist.
9:30—Uncle Don's Stories.
7:00—Sports: N. Y. U. Talk.
7:30—Half Seas Over: Talk.
8:15—Saturday Knights.
9:00—Pianist, Harpist and Soprano.
9:30—Dance Orchestras (1½ hours).
11:00—News: Dance: Moonbeams.

365.6—KDKA Pittsburgh—980.
6:00—U. of Pittsburgh: Barytone.
6:30—Scores: Band.
7:30—Chain Program.
8:00—Band (30 minutes).
11:00—Messages to Arctic.

360.7—WHAM Rochester—1,150.
6:30—Phi Mu Alphas.
7:00—Monk's Orchestra.
8:00—The Arzen Kids.
8:30—Music School.
11:00—Dance Music (1 Hour.

379.5—WGY Schenectady—790.
6:00—Dinner Music.
7:00—Musical Program.
11:00—Messages to Byrd (1 hour).

508.8—WBZ Springfield—990.
6:00—Musicale: Football Scores.
7:15—Orchestra: Feature.
8:00—Nature League: Orchestra.
9:00—Minstrels (30 minutes).
10:00—Music Masters (30 minutes).
11:00—Bert Lowe's Orchestra (1 hour).

CENTRAL AND SOUTHERN CLEAR CHANNEL STATIONS.

428.3—WLW Cincinnati—700.
6:00—Orchestra (30 minutes).
7:00—Orchestra: Scrap Book.
7:30—Orchestra: Steppers.
8:15—Feature Programs (1¾ hours).
10:00—Dance Hour.
11:00—Hawaiians: Scrap Book.
11:30—Dance Music Hour.

280.2—WTAM-WEAR Cleveland—1,070
6:15—Hotel Orchestra.
7:00—Orchestra.
8:00—Cleveland History
10:00—Hoffman's Orchestra.
10:30—Dance and Songs (2½ hours).

398.8—WCX-WJR Detroit—750.
6:00—Hour of Orchestras.
7:00—Happy Go Lucky.
7:30—University of Michigan.
8:30—Parker's Singing School.
9:00—Musical Programs.
11:00—News: Songs: Dance (2 hours)

405.2—WSB—Atlanta—740.
7:00—Brown's Orchestra: Concert.
11:45—WSB Skylark.

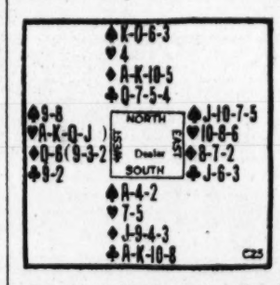
461.3—WSM Nashville—650.
7:00—Sunday School: Bulletins.
7:30—Barn Dance.
9:00—Barn Dance Features (4 hours)

270.1—WRVA Richmond—1,110.
6:30—Dinner Music.
7:00—Orchestra.
8:00—Luxury Troubadours.
10:00—Studio Feature.
11:00—Old Virginia Fiddlers.

WORK ON BRIDGE

CONTRACT BRIDGE.

FOLLOWING is an interesting hand which was played at thirty-six tables in a Duplicate game recently.



The South hand was handled in various ways. Some dealers feared to bid No Trump with a worthless doubleton and another suit not surely stopped, and did not care to bid a four-card suit. When these dealers passed, West bid three Hearts and obtained the contract as North did not dare to bid after South had passed. These Declarers were defeated by two tricks, but had 100 honors to offset the loss (the hand was played upon a non-vulnerable basis).

Some dealers bid one No Trump, based upon three quick tricks, two suits surely stopped and one probably stopped. When this happened, West passed and North bid three No Trumps. The Wests who did not double for fear of a shift to a suit, ran seven Heart tricks, defeating the contract by three tricks and scoring 150.

The quick trick basis for bidding No Trump is not as dependable as the count of Ace 4, King 3, Queen 2, Jack 1, and two Tens 1. On that basis dealer's hand counts 12; and 13 is the minimum for an original one No Trump by dealer. So South lacked the strength for a No Trump even without considering the menace of the worthless doubleton and the possibility that the Diamonds were not stopped.

At most tables, South bid one Club and West two or three Hearts. Then the Norths who jumped to five Clubs (the hand having the count to justify that jump), made game; those who bid less than five failed, as the Souths feared to rebid with a four-card suit.

At the tables where North jumped to five Clubs, that became the contract; except in one case when a venturesome South risked a small slam bid, figuring that North, to jump to five, must have enough Clubs to run that suit, and enough side strength so that a small slam could be made with the help of the Ace of Spades. A glance at the hand shows that a small slam can be made at Clubs; but that does not mean that South should bid six. The two small Hearts in his hand made the bid too dangerous.

This hand illustrates: (1) the importance of sound initial four-card suit-bids; (2) the inadvisability of risking unsound initial No Trumps; (3) the importance of knowing how far to jump partner's suit-bid; (4) jumping partner's minor to game when the jumper's hand has the strength to warrant it.

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"Parking With Peggy"

"I've decided what my sweetie's Christmas present shall be, but I can't decide whether to send it to Allan, Bert or Charlie."

WINNIE WINKLE, THE BREADWINNER

Talking Her Out of It

WELL-WELL-WELL, LOOK WHO'S BACK WITH US AGAIN!! RIGHT ON TH' JOB AT THE WORKBENCH! HOW'S TH' QUEEN OF HEARTS??
WELL, IF IT ISN'T 100% TALKIE HIMSELF!! AD LIBB IN PERSON! HELLO WINDY!!
HOW'S THE ADVERTISING COMING ALONG! ARE YOU STILL MAKING BIBBS PINS A HOUSEHOLD WORD?
NOT SO'S YOU COULD NOTICE IT! I'VE BEEN PROMOTED - I'M SALES MANAGER OF THIS ORGANIZATION NOW!!
AND DON'T YOU THINK I'M NOT THE BEST LITTLE SALESMAN OLD MAN BIBBSY EVER HAD!! CAN I SELL YOU A LITTLE DINNER AND A SHOW TONIGHT, BABE?
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BEHIND THE SCREENS

With NELSON B. BELL

THE notion that grand opera stars must be rotund and obese is effectually refuted by Patti Spear, prima donna of the "Dresden China" revue, current at the Palace, whose first name at least augurs well for her future, although her last is vaguely suggestive of "supers" and chorus routines.

Patti Spear is young. Patti Spear is small. Patti Spear is dainty and pretty. And Patti Spear can sing. Alfredo Martino, baritone of the Metropolitan Opera Company, discovered her and is training her for grand opera.

In case you didn't catch it, the name is Patti Spear.

Mr. Franklin W. Marsh, former scientific adviser to this department, writes in to say that according to his records the Enrica of the adagio team of Theodore and Enrica, appearing with Earle Carroll's "Vanities" at the National, is the same young artiste who many months ago suffered a severe illness while appearing at the Earle Theater and was confined for several weeks in a local hospital.

At any rate the names are the same. If this is indeed the same young woman, congratulations on a so complete recovery!

This dull and drab office was momentarily illumined yesterday afternoon by a brief call from Miss Ivy Stevens, Washington singer and dancer, temporarily lending her talents to the popularization of "Red Hot Rhythm," the Rialto's current attraction. I say "illumined," but what Miss Stevens actually did was almost set the office on fire.

Dressed entirely in flaming red—hat, gown, hose, shoes, cheeks and lips—the brunette and pulchritudinous Miss Stevens closely resembled the Chicago fire, or the rocket's red glare, or something, and certainly threw a bit of blinding effulgence into an otherwise somber day. Incidentally she left a few ducats to the show and then drove away in a 1930 Studebaker evidently built to match her costume.

Just a little exploitation idea that probably gave Chief Watson the "heebie-jeebies."

This department seems to be the grateful object of an avalanche of autographed photos from the boys we have interviewed and written pieces for the paper about during the past few months, hot on the heels of Victor McLaglen and Paul Muni comes Charlie Farrell—at the Fox this week, incidentally, with Mary Duncan, in "The River"—by air mail from the lot on the West Coast.

Merry Christmas to you, too, boys, say we.

In case you had forgotten, "The Locked Door," in which Rod La Rocque and Barbara Stanwyck are being screened at the Palace this week, is the camera version of Channing Pollock's play of "The Sign on the Door." Hardly a man is now alive who remembers that famous day and year when he was dramatic editor of a local sheet.

And Barbara Stanwyck, of course, in private life is the wife of Frank Fay, the rusty-haired buffoon soon to be seen in the Warner Brothers' "Show of Shows," with whom we once did a bit when he was playing at the old Cosmos down on the Avenue, long before the big time ever hove in view for him.

The Christmas party, given annually by the Central Union Mission, this year will be held in the Fox Theater in order to take advantage of the large capacity of approximately 3,500 seats. Mr. Fox has personally issued orders, so I am told, that the morning of Tuesday, December 24, beginning at 10:30, be devoted to the mission celebration, regardless of what it does to the regular house schedule for that day.

Just to set your mind at rest, the Fox Newsreel Theater, when, as and if established, will not occupy the former Little Theater property on Ninth street. I think I am safe in saying that when it is opened—and the likelihood seems all in favor of its being opened—it will be located on a thoroughfare of heavy daily pedestrian traffic and will be located somewhere between Twelfth and Fourteenth streets. Positively not east of Eleventh.

Have you looked over the cast in "Charming Sinners," at the Metropolitan? It strikes these aged eyes as one that promises no succor for those in quest of something to kick about. And W. Somerset Maugham wrote the play. Looks to be the spot.

Hiram S. Brown, president of Radio Pictures, was an interested spectator at last night's first performance at the RKO-Keith Theater, where his company's production of "Jazz Heaven," "Gunboat Ginsberg" and "Black and Tan" comprised the major features of the bill. Mr. Brown will remain in the Capital long enough to attend the Gridiron dinner at the Willard tonight.

By the way, the picture opening at the RKO-Keith Theater today, with Betty Compson and Erich von Stroheim costarred, is "The Great Gabbo"—not the "Great Garbo," as you thought.

Sorry, but today's last line was lost in the Christmas rush.

Two Services Announced.

Dr. Henry H. Sweets, secretary of Christian Education and Ministerial Relief, will preach tomorrow morning at the Central Presbyterian Church on the cause of the organization he represents. He also will make an address Monday night. A concerted effort is being made in the Southern Presbyterian Church to establish an adequate pension fund, it is announced.

Fifth Ave. Fashions NEW YORK

A JAUNTY all-day dress in lightweight woolen in Spanish red tones that contributes new smartness and length to the silhouette through side closing with huge matching bone buttons.

It is belted at higher waistline. The skirt retains slim straight line to just above the knees with released pleats providing smart fullness to hem at either side of front, the back remaining perfectly straight.

The turn-over collar presents one of the newest notes of Paris in crisp white pique, repeated in cuffs.

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Black wool jersey is interesting choice with collar of pique, organdie or matching faille silk crepe.

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Hunter's green wool and silk crepe mixture is chic.

Black suede finished broadcloth is ultra-modish with white organdie.

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DAILY WEATHER REPORT

TODAY'S SUN AND TIDE TABLE

		AM.	PM.
Sun rises	7:19	High tide	5:55 6:21
Sun sets	4:46	Low tide	12:23 12:20

WEATHER CONDITIONS.

U. S. Dept. of Agriculture, Weather Bureau.
Washington, Friday, Dec. 13—8 p. m.

Forecast—For the District of Columbia, cloudy, possibly preceded by showers Saturday morning; colder at night; Sunday cloudy, probably followed by rain at night; moderate west and northwest winds.

For Maryland, cloudy, preceded by rain early Saturday morning; colder at night; Sunday cloudy; fresh west and northwest winds.

For Virginia, cloudy with showers Saturday and probably Sunday; not much change in temperature; fresh west winds.

The disturbance that was over western Ontario Friday morning is advancing eastward, being central southeast of Hudson Bay, Doucet, Quebec, 29.84 inches, with a trough extending south and southwestward to northwestern Ohio. Pressure is low and falling on the north Pacific Coast. Tatoosh Island, 29.34 inches. An area of high pressure is moving eastward over the Canadian Maritime Provinces, Sydney, N. S., 30.50 inches, and pressure is high over the South Atlantic States, Savannah, Ga., 30.40 inches, and over the southern Rocky Mountain region, Santa Fe, N. Mex., 30.24 inches. Another high-pressure area is moving southeastward and eastward over Saskatchewan and Manitoba, Prince Albert, Saskatchewan, 30.46 inches. During the last 24 hours rains have occurred in the middle and north Pacific States, the northern plateau, the west gulf States, the Ohio and upper Mississippi Valleys, the lake regions, and the Middle Atlantic and North Atlantic States, and light snows over the northern Rocky Mountain region.

The outlook is for showers on Saturday in the Ohio Valley, the Middle Atlantic and North Atlantic States, and Tennessee, and for rain on Sunday in the Ohio Valley, Tennessee, and the South Atlantic States. It will be colder on Saturday in the Ohio Valley and the lower lake region, and colder Saturday night or Sunday in the Middle Atlantic and North Atlantic States.

Local Weather Report.

Temperature—Midnight, 28; 2 a. m., 30; 4 a. m., 31; 6 a. m., 32; 8 a. m., 32; 10 a. m., 34; 12 noon, 37; 2 p. m., 39; 4 p. m., 43; 6 p. m., 42; 8 p. m., 41; 10 p. m., 42. Highest, 43. Lowest, 28. Relative humidity—8 a. m., 97; 2 p. m., 91; 8 p. m., 94. Rainfall (8 a. m. to 8 p. m.), 0.08 inch. Hours of sunshine, 1. Per cent of possible sunshine, 10.

DEPARTURES FROM NORMAL.

Accumulated excess of temperature since January 1, 1929, 484 degrees.

Deficiency of temperature since December 1, 1929, 25 degrees.

Accumulated deficiency of precipitation since January 1, 1929, 2.13 inches.

Deficiency of precipitation since December 1, 1929, 0.51 inch.

Flying Weather Forecast.

Forecast of flying weather for Dec. 14, 1929: Washington, D. C., to Long Island, N. Y.—Overcast, preceded by rain Saturday morning; fresh southwest, shifting to west winds, possibly strong at times near Long Island, up to 1,000 feet and fresh to strong west-southwest at 5,000 feet.

Washington to Norfolk, Va.—Overcast with showers Saturday; fresh southwest and west winds up to 1,000 feet and fresh, possibly strong west, at 5,000 feet.

Washington, D. C., to Dayton, Ohio—Overcast Saturday, preceded by rain in and east of mountains; fresh west and northwest winds up to 1,000 feet and fresh to strong west at 5,000 feet.

Temperatures and Precipitations.

Temperatures and precipitation for 24 hours ended Friday, 8 p. m.:

	Highest Fri.	Lowest night	Thurs. 8 p.m.	Fri. fall.	Rain-
Washington, D. C.	43	40	41	0.08	
Asheville, N. C.	62	36	56	....	
Atlanta, Ga.	54	44	50	....	
Atlantic City, N. J.	44	40	42	0.02	
Baltimore, Md.	42	28	40	0.16	
Birmingham, Ala.	70	52	64	....	
Bismarck, N. Dak.	10	8	10	....	
Boston, Mass.	42	24	42	0.18	
Buffalo, N. Y.	48	34	40	0.14	
Chicago, Ill.	46	38	40	0.01	
Cincinnati, Ohio	62	58	58	0.02	
Cheyenne, Wyo.	58	38	46	....	
Cleveland, Ohio	62	44	50	0.18	
Davenport, Iowa	42	36	36	....	
Denver, Colo.	64	36	50	....	
Des Moines, Iowa	36	36	34	....	
Detroit, Mich.	46	36	42	0.03	
Duluth, Minn.	34	28	16	....	
El Paso, Tex.	64	36	60	....	
Galveston, Tex.	64	60	60	....	
Helena, Mont.	28	12	26	0.02	
Indianapolis, Ind.	60	60	60	0.36	
Jacksonville, Fla.	58	56	56	....	
Little Rock, Ark.	70	60	64	....	
Los Angeles, Cal.	70	54	64	....	
Louisville, Ky.	62	58	60	0.22	
Memphis, Tenn.	66	60	64	....	
Miami, Fla.	78	72	76	0.06	
New Orleans, La.	78	66	66	....	
New York, N. Y.	32	32	38	0.50	
Omaha, Nebr.	36	32	32	....	
Philadelphia, Pa.	40	32	40	0.09	
Phoenix, Ariz.	72	40	66	....	
Pittsburgh, Pa.	58	48	56	0.44	
Portland, Me.	30	20	30	0.10	
S. Lake City, Utah	58	32	54	....	
St. Louis, Mo.	66	34	62	0.38	
St. Paul, Minn.	34	32	26	....	
San Antonio, Tex.	74	28	68	0.05	
San Diego, Cal.	66	54	62	....	
San Francisco, Cal.	66	58	64	0.05	
Santa Fe, N. Mex.	56	28	40	....	
Savannah, Ga.	54	48	50	....	
Springfield, Ill.	62	46	48	0.01	
Tampa, Fla.	80	62	72	....	
Toledo, Ohio	52	38	48	0.05	
Vicksburg, Miss.	74	56	70	....	

FILM TIME TABLES

Feature pictures are presented on the following schedules at the theaters named:

RKO-Keith's—"The Great Gabbo," at 11:12 a. m., 1:18, 3:18, 5:12, 7:15 and 9:15 p. m.

Columbia—"Hallelujah," at 11 a. m., 1:05, 3:10, 5:15, 7:20 and 9:30 p. m.

Fox—"The River," at 11:40 a. m., 2:25, 4:45, 7:30 and 9:45 p. m.

Earle—"The Love Racket," at 11:40 a. m., 1:50, 3:50, 5:45, 7:50 and 9:55 p. m.

Palace—"The Locked Door," at 11:05 a. m., 1:10, 3:25, 5:35, 7:43 and 9:55 p. m.

Metropolitan—"Charming Sinners," at 11 a. m., 12:48, 2:36, 4:26, 6:14, 8:04 and 9:55 p. m.

Rialto—"Red Hot Rhythm," at 11:50 a. m., 1:50, 3:50, 5:50, 7:50 and 9:50 p. m.

Tivoli—"The Love Doctor," at 2, 3:35, 5:10, 6:50, 8:25 and 9:55 p. m.

Ambassador—"Sweetie," at 2, 3:50, 5:45, 7:35 and 9:30 p. m.

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The Rev. JAMES W. MORRIS, D. D.
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9:30 A. M.—Church School.
11 A. M.—Sermon by the Rector.
8 P. M.—Sermon by the Rector.
6:30 P. M.—Young People's Society.

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People's Evensong and Sermon. Preacher, The Bishop of Washington 4:00 p.m.
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CONGREGATIONAL

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL, Tenth and G sts.—Dr. Wynn C. Fairfield, of China, preaches 11 a. m., sermon prelude, "What About China?" Dr. Jason Noble Pierce, minister, speaks 8 p. m., "Righting Wrongs." Evening address illustrated by the motion picture, "The Puritans." Entertainment, Tues., 8 p. m., "Abie's Irish Rose." Thursday, 8 p. m., Dr. Pierce speaks on "Be Sure You're Right," illustrated by photoplay, "The Flying Marine." Every one cordially invited. Freewill offerings.

Mount Pleasant Congregational Church
1410 Columbia Road.
Sunday, 11 a. m., Sermon, "THE LAST CHRISTMAS TREE."
5 p. m.—Psychology Life Talk, "THE MENTAL MECHANISMS OF JOYCE KILMER," by Father Thomas V. Moore.
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Prof. H. A. Miller, of Wash. Mis. Col.
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"Home Treatment for High Blood Pressure," Dr. Truman, Supt., Wash. Sanitarium.
SUNDAY, DEC. 15—FREE

PRESBYTERIAN.

Central Presbyterian
SOUTHERN ASSEMBLY.
Intersection of Fifteenth and Sixteenth and Irving sts. nw.
Rev. JAMES H. TAYLOR, D. D., Pastor
9:30 a. m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a. m.—Morning worship, sermon by Dr. H. H. Sweets, of Louisville, Ky.
5:00 p. m.—Westminster League.
6:30 p. m.—Social Hour.
7:00 p. m.—Christian Endeavor.
8:00 p. m.—Sermon by Dr. Taylor.
8:00 p. m.—Thursday, Prayer Service.
Take 14th st. car or Mount Pleasant car or 16th st. bus, to Irving st.

Covenant
Connecticut Ave. and N St. N. W.
Dr. ALBERT JOSEPH McCARTNEY
Minister-Elect.
JOHN D. GREGORY, Assistant.
9:45—Sunday School and Bible Classes
11—Kindergarten
11—Morning Worship.
Sermon by the
Rev. HOWELL P. LAIR, D. D., of Tsinan, China, and Princeton Theological Seminary.
Covenant Quartet.
Anthem, "O Lord, Who Didst in Olden Time" (Thiman); solo for tenor, "If With All Your Hearts," from "Elijah" (Mendelssohn); anthem, "Prepare Ye the Way of the Lord" (Garrett).
6:30—Christian Endeavor.
THURSDAY.
8:00—Midweek Prayer Service.
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Minister
Ulysses G. B. Pierce, D.D.
SAMUEL A. ELIOT, D. D., Minister of Arlington Street Church, Boston, will preach.
9:45 a. m.—All Souls Church School.
11 a. m.—Morning Worship.
5 p. m.—Quiet Period, with Organ Music.
Lewis Atwater, Organist, assisted by Emily Coville, soprano.
5:30 p. m.—Book Chat, Chinese Books, Mr. Arthur W. Hummel.
7:30 p. m.—Motion Picture Hour.
"SOME ONE TO LOVE"

MASS MEETING.

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First Congregational Church
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Third Church of Christ, Scientist, 13th and L sts. nw.
Fourth Church of Christ, Scientist, 16th and Meridian sts. nw.
SUBJECT:
"God, the Preserver of Man"
SERVICES:
SUNDAY, 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.
SUNDAY SCHOOL, 11 a. m.
WEDNESDAY EVENING MEETINGS, 8 O'CLOCK.
READING ROOMS:
FIRST CHURCH, Investment Bldg., 15th and K sts. nw. Hours, 9 to 9 (except Wednesday, 9 to 7, and Sundays and holidays, 2:30 to 5:30).
SECOND CHURCH, 111 C st. ne. Hours, 1:30 to 5:30 week days; closed Sundays and holidays.
THIRD CHURCH, Colorado Bldg., 14th and G sts. Hours, 9:30 to 9 (except Wednesdays, 9:30 to 7:30; Sundays and holidays, 2:30 to 5:30).
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8 P. M., "The Spiritual Kingdom," H. R. Deal, Junior Preacher.
11 A. M., Junior Congregation (In Sunday School Auditorium) "The Story of the Shepherds," H. R. Deal.
8 P. M., Tuesday, December 17, Christmas Oratorio, "Dawn in the Desert."
8 P. M., Thursday, Prayer Meeting—Dr. Lambeth.
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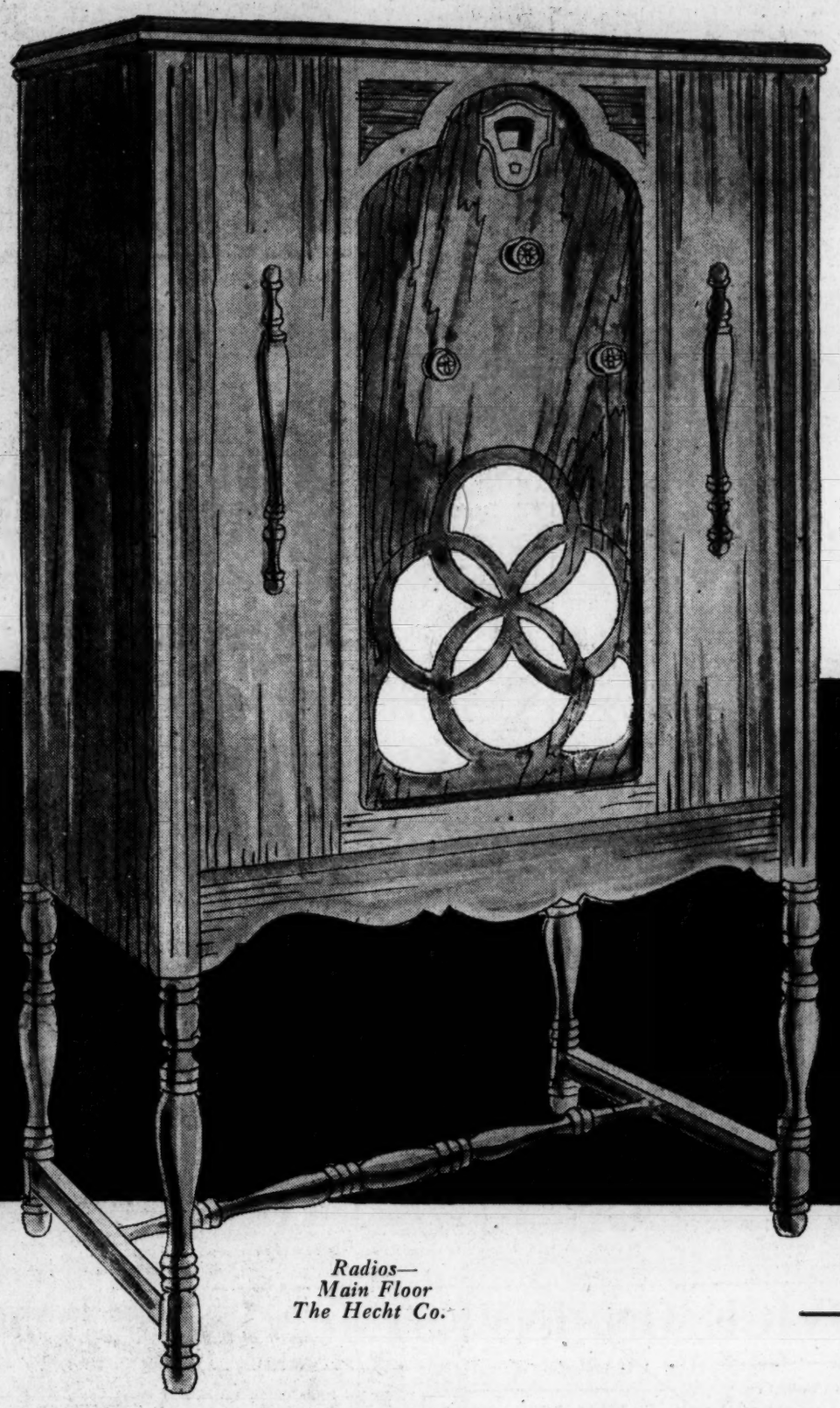

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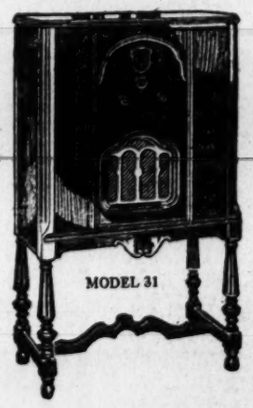

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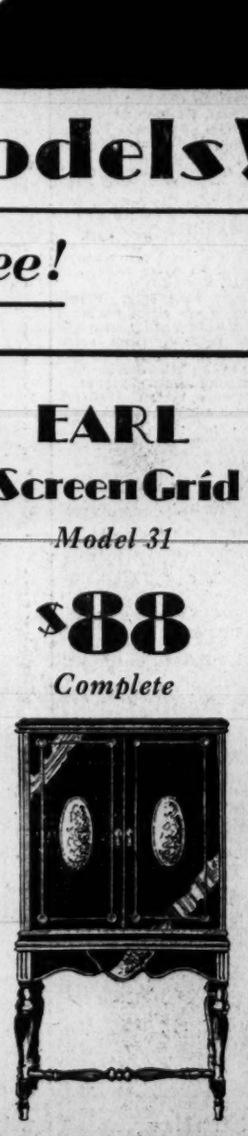

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STOCKS CLOSE HIGH IN HECTIC MARKET

Last Quotations Show Rise of From One Up to 23 Points.

FOREIGN ISSUES STEADY

New York, Dec. 13 (A.P.).—Opposing giants of speculation clashed in a violent and determined struggle for control of the price movement on the stock exchange today, with the bull forces gaining the advantage in fairly decisive fashion toward the close of the session.

The struggle was so furious that the average commission house traders were driven to the sidelines, leaving the professionals a clear field. Prices were hurled up and knocked down with startling rapidity, most shares fluctuating over ranges of 5 to 10 points, while some of the higher priced or less active shares swung over ranges of 15 to nearly 50 points.

The bull faction, having received a severe blow late yesterday, rallied soon after the opening and drove bears to cover, leading shares shooting up 2 to 15 points. Within a short time, however, speculators for the fall again gained the upper hand, and before midday leading shares were selling 2 to 12 points below the previous close.

Lost Ground Regained.

The next rally of bull forces was only momentary duration, but toward midafternoon, bears were forced to a gradual retreat, which became hasty in the late trading, and the majority of shares closed from 1 to 23 points higher. Nearly half of yesterday's lost ground was regained. Trading quieted down during the afternoon, and total sales were 4,387,960 shares, moderately under the turnover of the previous session.

The action of the market was too erratic to be predicated upon any developments in the day's rather meager news. The weekly trade and business reviews indicated further picking up in retail trade. Bradstreet's reporting the largest volume in two months. Reports from various sections of the country and regarding various lines of merchandise were highly irregular. On the whole, the turnover seemed to be less than last year at this time, with a conspicuous decline in luxury lines. Further quieting in industry and wholesale trade was reported, influenced in part by the approach of the year-end inventories. Somewhat better sentiment and steadier prices are reported from the steel and nonferrous metal industries.

Money Market Steady.

The money market was steady. Call loans were still quoted at 4½ per cent, and moderate offerings in the outside market at 4 were quickly snapped up. The time money market remained normal, while bankers' acceptances continued in good demand. The large increases in Federal Reserve holdings of bills and Government securities disclosed by the weekly condition statements were regarded as indicating that the reserve authorities can to stabilize credit sales during the year-end pinch. The Government financing next week is expected to liberate a considerable volume of funds. Further exports in gold were reported, but were not generally viewed with favor.

Closing prices were mostly somewhat below the peak levels reached in the rush of short covering during the morning. United States Steel rose 5½ points in the early spurt to 172, soon dropped to 164½, but closed at 172. General Electric moved up 4½ points to 237, dropped to 220½ and closed at 235. American Telephone rose 7½ points to 225¾, slipped back to 215 and closed at 222½. These erratic movements were typical of the action of important shares.

Radio Is Favorite.

Radio was a favorite of the operators for the advance, rising 4½ points to 45¼ in a large turnover, and closing near the top. International Combustion was again given a whirl, rising 5½ points to 16½, compared to a recent low of 8, to which it crumpled from a peak for the year of 103½. American Can, J. I. Case, A. T. Byers, Dupont, Hershey Chocolate, Missouri Pacific, National Biscuit, Simmons, Union Pacific, Western Union and Westinghouse Electric were among shares closing 5 to 9 points higher. Auburn Auto shot up 34 points. Fox Film was again a soft spot, dropping to a new 1929 low at 34, and closing at 37⅞, off 5¼. Central of New Jersey, a closely held and comparatively inactive issue, dropped 48 points to 251 in a few sales, and closed at 257½.

Grain markets were easy. Wheat lagged 1½ cents on small seaboard clearances and in sympathy with the Buenos Aires market. Corn eased fractionally, reflecting large Argentine exports. The cotton market was quiet but steady, closing slightly higher. Foreign exchange rates showed little change, with sterling cables holding at 84.88¼.

NEW YORK PRODUCE.

New York, Dec. 13 (A.P.).—BUTTER—Unsettled; receipts, 12,025. Creamery, higher than extra, 39@40; extra 92 score), 39; first (88 to 91 score), 34½@38.

CHEESE—Steady; receipts, 104,630.

EGGS—Firm; receipts, 10,092. Fresh gathered mixed colors unchanged. Nearby hennery white, closely selected extra, 50@52; nearby and nearby Western hennery white, first to average extra, 50@59; Pacific Coast white, extra, 60½@61; extra first, 59@60½.

POULTRY—Live; weak; chickens by freight, 15@19; by express, 14@19; colers, freight, 28; express, 29@33; fowls, freight, 20@25; express, 23@33; roosters, freight, 16; express, 14@15; turkeys, freight, 21; express, 27@32; ducks, 22.

POULTRY—Dressed; steady.

SUGAR—Raw, spot duty paid, 3.63; refined, 5.00 for fine granulated.

COFFEE—Spot, steady, demand quiet; No. 7, 9¾@10; Santos No. 4, 14¼@15.

RICHMOND LIVE STOCK.

Richmond, Va., Dec. 13 (A.P.).—HOGS—Receipts fair; market unchanged; top at

CATTLE—Receipts moderate; market steady; weak; bulk at 15.00; few fancy 1,600; cows, unchanged, 3.50@7.50; steers

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts light; market steady; lambs quotable, top, at 13.00; ewes 5.00 downward.

OIL QUOTATIONS.

Oil City, Pa., Dec. 13 (A.P.).—Credit balance, 83,05. Runs, 58,028; average runs, 75,936. Shipments, 56,317; average shipments, 61,334.

DAILY COTTON MARKET.

New York, Dec. 13.

PORT MOVEMENT.

	Middling.	Receipts.	Exports.	Stock.
Orleans	17.06	5,575	6,188	520,981
Harveston	16.85	6,184	.....	519,037
Mobile	16.40	1,920	.....	51,210
Savannah	17.13	1,322	.....	51,241
Charleston	.....	93	.....	44,941
Lim'g'n	.....	676	.....	36,081
Norfolk	17.06	1,879	3,650	68,360
Baltimore	.....	402	.....	1,191
New York	17.25	.....	.....	92,709
Boston	.....	.....	.....	1,139
Houston	16.70	21,707	13,714	1,140,845
Corpus Christi	.....	113	3,926	20,119
Port Arthur	.....	20,848	1,167	99,287
Today	.....	60,792	28,526	2,699,464
Last week	.....	297,360	162,449	.....
Season	.....	1,260,368	3,617,402	.....

Sales.—New Orleans, 3,255; Galveston, 292; Mobile, 1,082; Savannah, 425; Norfolk, 561; New York, 800; Houston, 7,737. Total sales today, 15,152.

INTERIOR MOVEMENT.

	Middling.	Receipts.	Shipm'ts.	Stock.
Memphis	16.25	13,706	12,955	391,500
Augusta	16.88	1,615	1,200	107,881
St. Louis	.....	2,653	1,971	9,856
Little Rock	16.10	.....	.....	.....
Atlanta	16.10	682	11	45,485
Dallas	15.85	.....	.....	.....
Montgomery	16.15	.....	.....	.....
Today	.....	18,648	16,137	554,652

Sales.—Memphis, 6,991; Augusta, 337; Fort Worth, 1,058; Little Rock, 927; Atlanta, 900; Dallas, 6,712; Montgomery, 55. Total sales today, 16,183.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE TRANSACTIONS OF YESTERDAY

Sales in hundreds	High	Low	Last	Chg.	Bid
8 Abitibi Pow & Pap	35¼	35	35	.....	35
4 Abitibi P & P pf (6)	78¼	78	78	.....	77
9 Abraham & Straus	63	59	60½	— 1½	60
88 Adams Express (1.60)	27½	26	27⅛	+ ⅛	27
2 Adams Express pf (3)	86½	86½	86½	— ¾	86
1 Adams Millis (2)	32¼	32½	32½	.....	32½
1 Advance Rumely	12½	12½	12½	.....	12½
4 Advance Rumely pf	22½	22½	22½	.....	22
22 Aguada Lead	⅞	⅞	⅞	.....	⅞
225 Air Reduction (4½b)	126⅞	117⅝	125⅞	+ 8	125
4 Air Wal Ei App (2½)	25⅝	25	25⅜	+ ⅜	25
21 Ajax Rubber	2½	2	2	.....	⅝
126 Alaska Juneau	7	6½	7	.....	6¾
1 Albany P Wrap Paper	9½	9½	9½	.....	6¾
569 Alleghany	25⅛	23⅝	25⅛	+ 1⅝	25¼
3 Alleghany pf (5½)	97	97	97	.....	96½
28 Al Chem & Dye (6a)	259	250¼	259	+ 9	258
43 Allis Chal Mfg (3)	53½	50	53⅛	+ 2¼	53
12 Allis Chalmers cts	⅛	⅛	⅛	.....	⅛
1 Amal Leather pf	23	23	23	— 1	21¼
4 Amerada (2)	21	21	21	.....	20½
4 Am Agri Chem	.....	.....	.....	.....	65
3 Am Agri Chem pf	8⅛	6½	6½	— ⅛	7½
21 Am Bank Note (3b)	28½	28	28½	+ 1½	27
4 Am Beet Sugar	82	78½	81½	+ 2	81½
9 Am Best Sugar	42	42	42	.....	42
93 Am Bosch Magneto	6¼	6¾	.....	.....	6½
4 Am Brake Shoe (2.40)	47⅜	41½	45⅜	+ 4½	45½
8 Am Brown Boveri El	47½	47½	47½	— ½	47
110 Am Brown Bov pf (7)	10⅞	10½	10⅝	+ ⅛	10⅝
657 Am Can (.80)	68	65	65	.....	65
1 Am Can pf (7)	121	112¾	118	+ 5½	118
1 Am Car & Fdy (6)	145	145	145	+ 2½	144
1 Am Car & Fdy pf (7)	110⅜	116⅜	116⅜	+ 1⅜	83
16 Am Chicle (2¼b)	40½	37½	40½	+ 2½	116
72 Am Commercial Alcohol (1.60a)	32½	30⅝	32½	+ 1⅜	32½
11 Am Encaus Til (2)	25⅝	25	25	— 1	23½
11 Am & European	36	35	35	.....	34
2021 Am & Forn Power	94½	84½	94⅛	— 1½	94⅛
3 Am & F P 7% pf(7)XD	106⅛	105¼	105¼	— ⅛	105¼
4 Am Hawaiian S S (1) XD	94	94	94	.....	94½
8 Am Home Prod (4.20) XD	58⅝	58⅛	58⅝	+ 1	58
10 Am Ice (3)	37¾	37	37	.....	36
158 Am International (2a)	41⅞	37¼	40½	+ 2	38
2 Am-La France & Foam	3	2⅞	3	.....	2⅞
17 Am Loco (8) XD	102½	100	102½	+ ⅜	102½
1 Am Loco pf (7) XD	117¼	117¼	117½	.....	102½
7 Am Mach & Fdy (5b)	219½	210¼	219½	+ 4½	219
20 Am Metal (3)	45¾	44⅝	43	+ ⅝	45¼
20 Am Natural Gas pf (7) AS	70	70	70	— 2	66
62 Am Pow & Lgt (1a)	2½	2⅜	2⅜	.....	2¼
1 Am P & Lgt 6% pf (6) XD	82¾	78	82¾	+ 5¾	82
1 Am P & Lt pf A stpd (5) XD	80⅝	80⅝	80⅝	+ ⅛	101½
117 Am Rad Stand San (1½)	33½	31¾	33⅜	+ ¾	80⅝
63 Am Republics	22¼	20	20½	— 1⅜	33¼
6 Am Roll Mill (2a)	91½	85½	89½	+ 3¾	20½
3 Am Roll Mill pf	⅞	⅞	¾	.....	89
3 Am Seating (2)	21½	21½	21½	.....	¾
10 Am Ship & Commerce	1¼	1⅛	1¼	.....	21½
60 Am Shipbuilding (8) AS	85	85	85	.....	1⅛
60 Am Smelt & Ref (4)	74½	72½	74½	+ ¾	84
5 Am Smelt pf (7)	135	134¾	135	+ ¾	74½
2 Am Snuff (3½b)	42	42	42	.....	135
20 Am Snuff pf (6) AS	102½	102½	102½	+ ¾	42
7 Am Steel Fdrs (3)	49	48	48¼	+ ¼	101¾
4 Am Stores (2½b) XD	61	60	61	+ 1	46¾
8 Am Sugar Ref (5)	104	104	104	— ¼	60
1 Am Sugar pf (7)	23	22	23	— 1	103
3 Am Sumatra Tob (3)	26⅝	26⅝	26⅝	.....	23
840 Am Tel & Cable (5) AS	223¾	215	222½	+ 4	26⅝
197 Am Tel & Tel (9)	200½	200½	200½	.....	221½
1 Am Tob (10b)	120	120	120	.....	202
1 Am Tob pf (6)	205	200	204¾	+ 4½	119½
17 Am Tob B (10b)	94	80	92¾	+ 4¾	204
474 Am Wat Wks (1a)	.....	.....	.....	.....	92
2 Am Wat Wks 1st pf (6)	102⅛	102⅛	102⅛	.....	102⅛
4 Am Woolen	8⅛	8⅛	8⅛	.....	8⅛
15 Am Wool pf	23	22⅝	22⅝	— ⅜	22½
2 Am Wrig Pap pf (3)	32½	32	32	— 1½	32
9 Am Zinc Ld & Sm	10	9⅝	10	.....	10
1 Am Zinc L & Sm pf (6)	60	60	60	.....	60
403 Anaconda Cop (7)	79¾	75¾	77½	+ 1	80
1 Anaconda W & Cable (3)	49½	49½	49½	— ¼	77½
17 Archer-Dan Mid (2)	41	40	40½	— ½	40
30 Archer-Dan-Mid pf (7) AS	27	25½	27	+ ½	26¾
7 Armour Del pf (7)	103½	103½	103½	+ ½	103
18 Armour of Ill A	81	80½	80½	— ¼	81
25 Armour of Ill B	6¾	6½	6¾	+ ⅛	6½
5 Arnold Const	3⅝	3⅝	3⅝	.....	3⅝
1 Art Metal Cons (1½)	8¾	8¾	8¾	+ ⅛	8¾
2 Asso Apparel Ind (4)	26	26	26	.....	26
17 Asso Dry Gds (2½)	37	36	36	.....	36
18 Atchison T & S F (10)	226¼	225	225½	+ 1½	225½
1 Atchison pf (5)	103⅝	103½	103½	+ 1½	224½
25 Atl Gulf & W I	25⅛	25	25	— 1	103½
119 Atlantic Ref (2b)	75¾	73¼	73⅝	— 2½	23½
17 Atlas Powder (5b)	41¼	38⅝	40½	.....	73⅝
25 Auburn Auto (4a)	84	80	84½	— 1¾	40½
2 Austin Nichols	213	195	213	+ 23	84½
62 Aviation Corp	4¼	4¼	4¼	.....	210
	B				4
96 Baldwin Loco (1.75)	29¾	27½	28⅝	+ ⅝	6½
40 Baldwin Loco pf (7) AS	114½	110¼	110¼	— 3¾	28½
89 Baltimore & Ohio (7)	118½	118⅛	118¾	+ 3	109¼
50 Bamberger pf (6½) AS	109	108	108	+ 3	118
70 Bangor & Aroos pf (7)	67½	65¼	67	+ 2	107¾
50 Barnsdall A (2½)	110	110	110	— ½	66
10 Baruk 1st pf (7) AS	25¾	25⅛	25⅝	— ⅛	110
10 Beacon Oil	97	97	97	.....	25⅝
1 Beatrice Creamery (4) XD	76	76	76	.....	96
1 Beatrice Creamery pf (7) XD	100	100	100	.....	18⅝
1 Belding Heminway	⅞	⅞	⅞	— ⅛	76
2 Belg Nat Rys pfc pf (5.48)	3	2⅝	3	.....	⅞
149 Bendix Aviation (2)	79¾	79½	79¾	.....	2⅝
231 Bethlehem Steel (6)	36⅝	33½	35¼	+ 1⅜	6
3 Beth Steel 7% pf (7)	93	91	94½	+ 3⅝	70½
10 Bloomingdale pf (7) AS	122½	122¾	122½	+ ¾	35¼
20 Blumenthal pf (7) AS	103	103	103	.....	94½
33 Bohn Alum (6b) XD	80	80	80	.....	100
35 Bon Ami (6b)	57¼	53½	54¾	— 2½	80
2 Booth Fish 1st pf	70½	70¼	70½	.....	54½
62 Borden (3)	25	25	25	+ 4½	22
54 Borg-Warner (4)	70½	67½	69½	+ ¾	69
4 Bossy Mills A	38	34⅞	37½	+ 3	37
3 Briggs Mfg	2⅝	2½	2⅝	+ 1⅛	2½
3 Briggs & Stratton (2)	18	16	17	.....	17
2 Brockway Motor (3)	23	22¾	23	.....	22⅝
3 Bklyn-Manh Trans (4)	21¾	21⅝	21⅝	.....	20½
24 Bklyn Un Gas (5)	⅞	⅞	⅞	.....	⅞
1 Brown Shoe (2½)	140	61	63	+ 1¾	63
14 Brunswick Balke (3)	43⅛	43⅛	140	— 8	139
9 Brunswick Term & Ry	22	21	21	— ⅝	43
27 Bucyrus—Erie (1)	17	16	16	— ⅝	21¾
5 Bucyrus-Erie cvt pf (2½)	23¼	21⅜	23¼	+ 1⅛	16
15 Budd Mfg (1¼b)	36½	35¼	36	.....	⅛
5 Budd Wheel (1)	10⅜	10⅛	10⅜	— ⅛	35¼
5 Bullard (2b)	10½	10⅛	10½	.....	10⅛
3 Bulova Watch (3)	31	30	31	+ 1	10¼
1 Burns Bros A (8)	30	29	29	— 2	30
2 Burns Bros B	100	100	100	.....	29
94 Burroughs Ad Mach (3.80b)	28⅛	28	28⅛	+ 1⅜	98
43 Bush Term Bldg pf(7)XD AS	48¾	43⅝	47⅝	+ 3⅛	28
40 Bush Term 7% deb (7) AS	108⅛	108⅛	108⅛	+ 2⅜	47¾
2 Butte Cop & Zinc (.80)	103⅜	102¼	103⅜	+ ⅜	102⅜
5 Butterick	3¼	3¼	3¼	.....	103
206 Byers Co	20	19½	20	.....	3¼
4 By-Prod Coke (1)	97½	92½	91	+ 8½	19
	27⅝	26¼	26¼	+ ¼	91
	C				26
4 Calif Pack (4)	68¼	68	63	.....	68
10 Callahan Zinc Lead	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛	.....	1⅛
3 Calumet & Arizona (10)	88	87	88	— ¾	88
27 Calumet & Hecla (4½)	31½	30⅝	31⅛	+ ⅜	31⅛
35 Canada Dry G Ale (5)	65⅞	62½	64¾	— 1¾	64
35 Canadian Pac (10)	196	193½	196	+ 1⅝	194½
1 Canada Mills (2.80)	31½	31½	31⅛	— ⅛	31½
650 Capital Admin AS	28	27¼	27¼	— ⅛	81
13 Caterpillar Trac (3)	58¾	56	58⅜	+ 1¾	58½
66 Case (J I) (6)	200	185	195	+ 8	194
1 Cavanagh Dobbs	83¼	83¼	83¼	.....	8¼
100 Cavanagh Dobbs pf (6½) AS	60	60	60	.....	60
4 Celotex Co (3) XD	38	37	38	+ 1¾	36¼
3 Central Aguirre (1)	26½	25½	26¼	.....	25
36 Central Alloy St (2)	34½	33¾	34½	+ ½	34¾
10 Cent Alloy St pf (7) XD AS	108¼	108¼	106¼	— 1	108¼
9 Central R R N J (12b)	265	251	257½	— 42½	265
21 Cerro de Pasco (6)	64	62¼	62⅝	— 1¼	62¾
1 Certain-teed	14½	14	14	.....	14
1 Certain-teed 7% pf	50½	50½	50½	— 4¾	50
43 Checker Cab (4.20)	41	39½	40¾	— ¼	41½
30 Chesapeake & Ohio (10)	210¾	203	206½	— 1	207
51 Chesapeake Corp (3)	62	60⅜	61½	.....	61½
2 Chic & Alton	5	5	5	.....	4½
28 Chic Gt Western	13	12¾	13	+ ⅛	13
48 Chic Gt West pf	37½	35	36⅞	+ ¾	36⅞
85 Chic Mil St P & Pac	26½	25	25⅝	+ 1¼	26
116 Chic Mil St P & Pac pf	47¼	44¾	47⅛	+ 2	47
16 Chic & Nor West (4)	88	88½	88	+ 1¼	87¾
1 Chic & Nor West pf (7)	139	139	139	— ½	139¼
7 Chic Pneu Tool (3)	24½	24½	24½	— 1½	24½
1 Chic Rk Is & Pac (7)	54	54	54	+ 1	53½
5 C R I & P 6% pf (6)	118¼	117⅛	118⅛	+ ⅛	117¾
4 C R I & P 7% pf (7)	100	99⅞	99⅞	.....	99⅛
20 Chickasha Cot Oil (3)	107⅝	107¼	107⅝	.....	106¼
28 Childs Co (2.40)	27¼	27¼	27¼	.....	27¼
242 Chile Copper (3)	38⅝	36	38⅝	.....	58½
4 City Ice & Fuel (3.60)	35¾	34	35½	+ 1½	35⅜
74 City Stores (1)	48½	46	46	+ 1	44
1 Clark Equip (3)	11¼	11¼	11¼	— ⅛	11¼
3 Cluett Peabody (5)	39	39	39	.....	38
16 Coca Cola (4)	136	126⅛	133	+ 6½	133
14 Coca Cola A (3)	48½	48½	48½	.....	48½
3 Collins & Aikman	14¼	14¼	14¼	.....	14
11 Colorado Fuel & Iron	35¾	33½	35	+ 1	34½
20 Col Fuel & Iron pf (8) AS	126	126	126	.....	8
8 Colorado & South (3)	93	92	92	— 2½	90
63 Colum Gas & El (2)	75	67¾	74	+ 2	74
2 Col Gas & El pf A (6)	66⅝	66⅝	66⅝	— 8¾	63¾
1464 Columbian Grapho (.87)	33⅞	28½	33⅛	+ 2¾	33⅛
148 Columbian Carbon (5b)	179	160¼	175	+ 5	174
22 Commercial Credit (2)	24½	23½	24½	+ 1	34½
9 Com Credit A (3)	34¾	33½	34¼	— 1	33
10 Com Cr 6¼% pf ww (6¼)	76	76	76	— 1	76
60 Com Invest Trust (1.80a)	42	39¾	42	+ 1¾	42
2 Com Invest Trust war	13	13	13	— 1	12
100 Com Invest Tr 7% pf (7) AS	100	100	100	.....	100
810 Commercial Solv new (1) XD	30¼	28⅝	30¼	+ 1¾	30¾
433 Com'wlth & South (5½)	13¾	13⅛	13¾	+ ⅛	13½
30 Congoleum Nairn	14¾	14	14¾	+ ⅛	14½
5 Congress Cigar (5½b) XD	52½	52½	52½	— ¾	52
25 Consol Cigar (7)	53½	49	52¼	— ¾	51½
2 Consol Film Ind (2)	16½	16	16	— ¾	16
38 Columbian Carbon rts	3⅜	3	3⅛	+ ⅛	3⅛
13 Cons Film Ind pf (2)	20¾	20⅝	20½	— ⅛	20
894 Consol Gas (3)	99½	94½	98	+ 3¾	98
21 Consol Gas $5 pf (5)	99¾	99¼	99¼	— ½	99¼
13 Consol Gas El Cuba pf (6)	52½	50½	52	.....	52
2 Consol Textile	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝	+ ⅛	1⅛
2 Container B	5¼	5¼	5¼	.....	5½
20 Cont Baking A	44	40½	44	+ 2¼	44
83 Cont Baking B	6⅜	5⅞	6	.....	6⅛
1 Cont Can Inc pf (7)	80	88	90	— 1½	90
1020 Continental Bank (1.20) AS	40½	37¼	40½	+ 1½	
55 Continental Can (2½)	50⅞	50⅜	52	+ 1⅜	52
10 Cont Can pf (7) AS	127	127	127	.....	125¼
1 Cont Diam Fibre (2½) XD	28¾	28¾	28¾	.....	28
14 Continental Ins (2)	61⅞	60	61½	+ ⅝	60½
64 Continental Mot (.80)	7⅞	7⅜	7⅝	— ⅛	7½
120 Continental Oil of Del	26⅝	25⅜	26¼	+ ⅜	26¼
47 Cont Shares	43¼	40	43¼	+ 2¼	43
240 Cont Prod pf (7) AS	94⅞	89¾	94⅝	+ 1⅜	94⅝
83 Coty (2a)	142	141½	141½	.....	141½
4 Cream of Wheat (2¼b)	28½	26¾	28½	+ 1¾	28
2 Crex Carpet	29¾	28½	29¾	+ 1½	29¾
20 Crosley Radio (1a)	18	18	18	.....	18
25 Crucible Steel (5)	25	23	24½	+ 1⅞	24½
1 Crucible Stl pf (7)	81	81	81	+ 1	80
11 Cuba Cans Sugar	10⅜	10⅜	10⅜	+ 1¾	10⅜
7 Cuba Cane Sug pf	1¼	1¼	1¼	— ⅛	1
5 Cuba Co	2	2	2	— ⅛	1⅝
40 Cuba R R pf (6) AS	10¼	9½	10¼	.....	10⅛
9 Cuban Am Sugar	61	60	60	— 9	60
330 Cuban Am Sugar pf AS	7⅛	7	7⅛	+ ⅛	7⅛
10 Cuban Dom Sugar	63½	62½	63½	+ 3½	59¾
20 Cudahy Pack (4)	¼	¼	¼	.....	¼
3 Curtis Pub (7b)	47⅛	45½	47	.....	47
2 Curtis Pub pf (7)	113	112	113	— 3	110½
217 Curtiss Wright	116½	116¼	116¼	— ¼	116¼
79 Curtiss Wright A	8	7¾	7⅞	— ⅛	7¾
2 Cutler Hammer (3½)	16⅞	16⅛	16¾	+ ⅝	16⅜
1 Curamel Fruit	82	82	82	— 2	80½
	104⅜	104⅜	104⅜	— 2¼	104
	D				
18 Davison Chemical	31¾	29¾	30	— ⅝	30
530 Deere pf (7) AS	119½	116	119½	+ 3	119
6 Delaware & Hud (9)	174⅝	173½	174⅜	— ¼	173¾
10 Del, Lack & West (7b)	149	146	149	+ 8	144
34 Detroit Edison (8)	61	60¾	61	.....	60
69 Detroit Edison rts	198	189¼	198	+ 2½	196
1 Devoe & Ray A (3b)	19½	17¼	19	.....	19
1 Dome Mines (1)	35	34½	34½	.....	34½
	7	7	7	— ¼	7⅛

Sales in hundreds	High	Low	Last	Chg.	Bid
3 Dominion Stores (1.20)	24¾	24	24¾	— ⅝	22
23 Drug, Inc (4)	79¼	77½	78½	.....	78
1 Dunhill Inter (4a)	38⅝	38⅝	38⅝	— ⅜	38⅝
10 Duplan Silk pf (8) AS XD	96½	95½	95½	+ 2½	95
191 Du Pont de Nem (3.20b)	120	113⅝	118	+ 5	118
10 Du Pont de Nem deb (6)	117	116¾	117	+ ⅛	116½
10 Durham Hosiery pf AS	47	47	47	— 3	47
	E				
2 Eastern Rolling Mills (2a)	23¾	23½	23¾	— ⅝	23⅛
59 Eastman Kodak (8b)	181	174½	180¾	+ 8¾	174
21 Eaton Axle & Spr (3)	28¾	27¼	28	— ⅛	28
6 Eitingon Schild (2½)	10⅞	10	10	— ⅛	9
1 Eitingon Schild pf (6½)	50	50	50	— 1½	50
73 Elec Auto Lite (6) XD	84	81¼	83⅜	+ 4½	83
1 Electric Boat	⅝	⅝	⅝	+ ⅛	⅝
299 El Pow & Lt (1)	47⅞	42⅝	47	+ 2½	46½
5 El Stor Batt (5)	77½	70½	71½	+ ½	70½
3 Endicott-Johnson (5)	56	56	56	.....	65⅜
24 Engineers Pub Serv (1a)	39	38½	38½	.....	38½
2 Engineers Pub Serv pf (5½)	94	93¾	93¾	— ¼	93¼
142 Erie R R	40	40	40	— ¼	40
21 Erie 1st pf (4)	63¾	59½	63	+ 3½	62¼
3 Eureka Vac Clean (4)	64½	64	64¼	+ ½	64
1 Evans Auto Load (2½a)	40½	40½	40½	+ ½	39¾
	25	25	25	— ½	25
	F				
13 Fairbanks Co	12⅜	10½	12⅜	+ ⅞	12¼
1 Fairbanks Morse (3)	35¼	35¼	35½	+ 1	35
100 Fairbanks Morse pf (7) AS	104	104	104	.....	104
11 Fashion Park As (2½a)	29	25	29	+ 3	28¾
2 Fashion Park As pf (7)	83	83	83	.....	.....
10 Fed Lt & Tr pf (6) AS	95½	95½	95½	— ½	95
3 Federal Motor (.80)	8¼	8¼	8¼	.....	8¼
10 Federal War Service (2.40)	38½	38½	38½	.....	36
8 Field Phenix Fire Ins (2)	69	68½	69	.....	69
1 Filene's Sons	40	40	40	— ¼

RAILS GAIN SLIGHTLY IN SAGGING MARKET

Bond Prices Display Little Change; Utilities Still Continue Easy.

FOREIGN SHARES LIGHT

New York, Dec. 13 (A.P.).—Idling through another listless session, the bond market recorded small price changes today.

Inquiry for loans of high grade, especially in the United States Government and rail groups, uncovered a firm undertone in both groups, which have declined only slightly from their recent highs during the thin markets of the current week. Uncertainty over money rates for the remainder of the year has caused interest in bonds to dwindle, but the list appears to have been well fortified by the advance of the last month. There is still a scarcity of the best issues, as is quickly evident when buying orders of any importance are placed.

Treasury Issues Gain.

Treasury 4¼s and Liberty fourths 4¼s moved up a tiny fraction, but the Treasury 4s made a small decline. Commitments in these issues were moderately large, but the remainder of the Government list dragged and it was apparent that the market was awaiting the opening of bids for the $100,000,000 issue of noninterest-bearing Treasury bills, scheduled for this afternoon.

In the carrier section fractional gains were scored by Atchison General 4s, Great Northern 5s, New York Central 5s, Missouri, Kansas Texas prior lien 5s, Northern Pacific prior lien 4s, Southern Railway 6s, Union Pacific first 4s, and St. Louis & San Francisco 4½s. A number of others, including Baltimore & Ohio refunding 5s, Central of Georgia 5s, Burlington General 4s, Erie 5s and general lien 4s and Reading general 4½s, declined to about the same extent. A score of rails showed no net change.

Industrials Ease.

Industrials and utilities eased, but the losses were largely confined to secondary issues. International Telephone Debenture 4½s responded to buying inquiry with a 1-point rise on the strength of the company's earnings report.

The convertible group moved erratically as the course of stocks shifted and at the close net gains and losses were well mixed. American Telephone 4½s, after moving within a 7-point range, finished 1¼ points above the previous final, while International Telephone 4½s advanced 4½ net. Both issues of Alleghany 5s lost nearly 1½, while Chicago & North Western 4½s dropped to par, their offering price. Pan-American Petroleum 6s were down nearly 2.

Trading in foreign bonds was light. Latin American obligations were irregularly lower, while leading European governments found support at around their Thursday levels. French 7½s advanced more than a point.

LOCAL STOCK EXCHANGE

Sales—Regular call, 11:15 a. m.
Ans. & Pot. Guar. 5s, $1,000 at 190½.
Capital Traction 5s, $3,500 at 92¼.
Wash. Gas 5s, $500 at 99¼.
Wash. Gas 6s, 33; Ser. A, $500 at 102, $800 at 102, $100 at 101.
Wash. Gas 6s, 36, Ser. B, $100 at 102¾, $100 at 102¾.
Wash. Ry. & Elec. 4s, $1,000 at 83½.
Potomac Elec. 5½% pfd., 5 at 104.
Federal-American Co. com., 50 at 32. After call.
Commercial Natl. Bank, 10 at 255.
Anacostia, Pot. Guar. 5s, $4,000 at 91.
Washington Gas 5s, $2,000 at 99¾.
Wash. Ry. & Elec. 4s, $1,000 at 84.
Wash. Gas 6s, 33, Ser. A, $200 at 101, $300 at 101.
Federal-American Co. com., 50 at 33.
Natl. Mtge. & Inv. pfd., 50 at 4.

BONDS.

	Bid.	Ask.
PUBLIC UTILITIES.		
Ann. T. & Tel. Conv. 4½s	97¾	
Ann. Te. & Tel. Col. Tr. 5s	101⅝	
Ana. & Pot. River R. 1st 5s	81	85
Ana. & Pot. River Guar. 5s	90	92½
C. & P. Tel. of Va. 5s	100½	
Capital Traction 1st 5s	91¾	92½
City Sub. Ry. 1st 5s	81	82
Geo'town Gas L. 1st 5s	97½	100
Pot. Elec. Power Cons. 5s	100	100½
T. E. P. El. & ref. 6s	106	
Wash. Alex. & Mt. Ver. cts	1	3
Wash., Balto. & Annap. 1st 5s	65	68
Wash. Gas Light Gen. 5s	99	100
Wash. Gas Lt. Co., Ser. A 6s	101	
Wash. Gas Lt. Co., Ser. B 6s	103½	
Wash. Ry. & Elec. Cons. 4s	83½	84
MISCELLANEOUS.		
Barber & Ross, Inc., 6½s	89½	93
Chamb'rlin-Vand'rb't Htl. 6½s	60	100
Dist. of Col. Paper Mfg. 1st 6s	88	96
Pot. Joint Stock Land Bk. 5s	93	98
Wash. Consolidated Title 6s		100
Wash. Market Cold Stge. 5s	95	
STOCKS		
PUBLIC UTILITIES.		
Amn. Tel. & Tel.	222	
Capital Traction	75	76
Washington Gas	100	110
Nor. & Wash. Steamboat	260	265
Potomac Elec. Power pfd. 6s	109¼	111
Pot. El. Pow. 5½% pfd.	104	105
Wash. Ry. & El. com.	450	600
Wash. Ry. & Elec. Co. pfd.	94¾	95
Wash., Balt. & An. com	6	
Wash., Balt. & An. pfd.	6	
NATIONAL BANKS.		
Capital	250	300
Columbia	400	450
*Commercial (stamped)	255	265
District	210	230
Federal-American	282	305
Liberty	208	215
Lincoln	400	440
Metropolitan	375	400
Riggs	530	540
Second	210	
Washington	285	300
TRUST COMPANIES.		
Amer. Security & Trust	430	465
Continental Trust	133½	
Merch. Bank & Trust Co.	130	140
National Savings & Trust	525	550
Union Trust	270	300
Wash. Loan & Trust	493	550
SAVINGS BANKS.		
Bank of Bethesda	65	74
Commerce & Savings	330	
Mid. Washington	25	45
Potomac Savings	325	
Sec. Sav. & Commercial	476	500
Seventh Street	305	
United States	500	
Washington Mechanics	50	60
FIRE INSURANCE.		
American	300	
Corcoran	140	
Firemen's	42	
National Union	21	27
TITLE INSURANCE.		
Columbia	8	14
Real Estate	173	
Title & Inv. Co. of Md. com.	30	
Wash. Cons'd Title Co. pfd.	50	
MISCELLANEOUS.		
Barber & Ross, Inc., com.	16½	20
Chevy Chase Dairy pfd.	102	108
Cnl. Sand & Gravel Co. pfd.	198	95
Commercial Natl. Co. pfd.	101¼	103
E. C. Paper Mfg. Co. pfd.	55	86
District Natl. Securities pfd.	95	102
Federal Storage Co. pfd.	115	125
Federal-American Co. com.	32	34
Federal-American Co. pfd.	98	103
Lanston Monotype	105	107
Merch. Tfr. & Storage com.	113	120
Merch. Tfr. & Storage pfd.	100	103
Mergenthaler Linotype	106	107
Natl. Mtge. & Inv. Co. pfd.	3⅞	4¼
Peoples Drug Stores pfd.	106	110
Real Est. Mtge. & Guar. pfd.	7¼	7½
Security Storage	115	120
Terminal Ref. & Wh'g Corp.	48	53
The Carpel Corporation	22¾	35
Wash. Mech. Mtge. Co. com.	11	15
Wash. Medical Bldg. Corp.	100	
Woodward & Lothrop pfd.	105¼	

†Book Closed.
*Ex dividends.

CHICAGO STOCKS.

(Reported by W. B. Hibbs & Co.)

	Bid.	Asked.
Assd. Apparel		47
Armour Leather pfd	61	64
Balaban & Katz	35	35¼
Bendix	35¾	36
Borg & Warner	28⅛	28¼
Chi. City & Conn. Ry. com.	1½	1½
Chi. City & Conn. Ry. pfd.	10½	12
Com. Edison	251	258¾
Consumers com	5	6
Consumers pfd.		65
Elec. Household	40	40¼
Great Lakes Dredge	55	69
Illinois Brick	25	28
Libby, McNeill & Libby	17½	18¼
McCord Rad. "A"	40	45
Middle West Util. pfd.		25½
Midland Steel	73¼	90
Minn. Honeywell	61	125
National Leather		⅞
Public Service com., $100 par.	230	235
Public Service pfd	230	235
Quaker Oats com	250	275
Quaker Oats pfd	105	115
Swift & Co	122½	123½
Swift International	33	34
John R. Thompson	37	40
U. S. Gypsum	45½	47
Wahl Co	8	8½
Yellow Taxi	26	26½

NEW YORK CURB MARKET TRANSACTIONS OF YESTERDAY

Sales in hundreds.	High	Low	Close
A			
6 Acetol Prod A	12½	11	11
1 Aeron Indust	7⅛	7⅛	7⅛
6 Aero Sup B	12	11½	12
2 Aero Underwriters	15	15	15
1 Agfa Ansco pf	77	77	77
21 Ainsw'h Mf (2¼a)	25	22	23¾
4 Air Invest vtc	4	4	4
3 Alexander Indust	2	2	2
15 Allied Aviation	1⅛	1	1
62 Allied Pow & Lt	39	34½	37
1 All P & Lt pf (3)	42½	42½	42½
6 Aluminum Co Am	290	281	290
1 Al Co Am pf (6) XD	100⅞	100⅞	100⅞
3 Am Brit & Cont	5¾	5¾	5¾
1 Am Br Bov Fd	10	10	10
425 Am Cigar (8) AS	106	100¼	100¼
3 Am C P & L A(3r)	38½	37½	38½
25 A C P &LB(10%f)	18	16½	18
28 Am C Pow A (.30a)	24½	24	24¾
4 Am C Pow B (.30a)	36¾	34½	36¾
5 Am Cont Oilfields			
149 Am Cyan B (1.60)	28½	25¾	27¼
2 Am Dept Stores		4¾	4¾
1 Am Equities	17¼	17¼	17¼
91 Am & Fgn P war	71½	62½	70½
56 Am Gas & El (1a)	123¾	113	120
27 Am Invest B	12⅞	11⅝	12¾
1 Am Invest war	6¼	6¼	6¼
250 Am Lt & Tr(10)AS	226	215½	217
2 Am Nat Gas	9¾	9	9¾
9 Am Salaman. (3½s)	56⅛	56⅛	56⅛
9 Am Solv & Chem	15	15	15
1 Am Sol & Dpf(3)	29	29	29
573 Am Sup Pow (1)	26½	23⅞	25¼
5 Am Superp 1 pf(6)	95	94¾	95
1 Am Transfor(1.40)	18½	18½	18½
5 Am Yvette	26⅝	23	25
1 Amsterdam Tr(1½)	27	27	27
8 Anchor Post F(2a)	14½	14¼	14¼
1 AAO n v cod (.73)	16½	16½	16½
2 Anglo Chil C Nitra	22	22	22
13 Arcturus Radio T	11½	11	11½
1 Argo Oil	1¼	1¼	1¼
33 Arizona Globe			
7 Ark Nat Gas	10	9⅞	9⅞
48 Ark Nat Gas A	10	9⅞	10
3 Ark Nat Gaspf(.60)	8	8	8
26 Asso G E End Ltd	6	5⅜	5⅜
86 Asso G E & E A(2.40z)	41½	39	41¾
14 Asso G&E deb rts	10⅛	9½	9⅜
8 Asso Rayon	6	5¼	6
11 Asso Rayon pf (6)	50	47¾	48
1 Atlas Plywood (4)	24½	24½	24½
1 Atlas Port Cem (2)	35½	35½	35½
1 Auburn Vot Mach	8	8	8
3 AutomVotM cv pr pf2	17⅜	16	16½
2 Aviation Corp Amer	21⅝	21⅝	21⅝
2 Aviation Corp	12½	12¼	12½
B			
25 Babcock&Wil (9z)AS	126¼	126¼	126¼
1 Babis Corp	3⅝	3⅝	3⅝
3 Balaban&Katz ctfs	63⅞	63⅞	63⅞
2 Bancomit Corp	48¼	48	48¼
7 Bliss E W (1)	22¼	22	22¼
44 Blue Ridge	8⅜	7⅝	8⅛
120 Blue Ridge cvip(.3z)	35⅝	35	35⅛
6 Blumenthal (B)	32¾	32¾	32¾
2 Blums Inc	27½	25	27½
1 Botany Cons Mills	1	1	1
1 Bow Bll Hotels	¾	¾	¾
100 Bow Bll Hot 2d pf AS	10	6	10
32 Brazil Tr & Lt (2)	41	37½	41
13 Brill A (1½)	12	11	11
46 Brill B	3½	3½	3½
8 British Celanese	4½	4½	4½
1 Burlge Equip Ltd(6g)	69	69	69
5 BuNt&EP p(1.60) XD	25	25	25
1 Burco	10	10	10
2 Burco cv pf (3)	42⅞	41	42⅞
1 Burco war	4	4	4
6 Burma Ltd (.31s)	3⅞	3⅞	3⅞
1 Butler Bros (2)	20½	20½	20½
5 Bwana McKubus	5¼	5¼	5¼
C			
1 CableRadioTube vtc	6	6	6
15 Cable & Wire A	3½	3½	3½
7 Cable & Wire B	1¾	1¾	1¾
3 Cable & Wire pf	4½	4½	4½
17 C A M Co vtc	½	½	½
1 C A M Co pf	23¼	23¼	23¼
128 Can Marc Wireless	4¾	3¾	4¾
1 Canadian Celan (2.60)	31½	31½	31½
2 Celanese 1st pf (7)	93	93	93
2 Celluloid Corp	15⅞	15⅞	15⅞
2 Central At States	6¾	6¾	6¾
30 CentPubSer A (1¾r)	36	35½	36
26 CentStat Elec (.40a)	24	22½	23½
1 CenStEl cvt pf n (6)	85	85	85
2 Cen St El pf x-w (6)	72	72	72
3 Centrifugal Pip (.60)	5⅞	5½	5⅞
3 Chain Strs Stock(5f)	12⅛	12	12⅛
3 Chesapeake &Ohio n	53	52½	52¼
502 Cit Serv (.30c) XD	28⅞	27⅝	28¼
7 Cities Serv pf(6)XD	89½	89⅜	89⅜
1 City M & Tool(1.60)	24¾	24¾	24¾
4 Clark Lighter A	2	2	2
1 Colgate Palm (2.50)	51⅜	51¼	51⅜
10 Colombian Syndic	⅜	⅜	⅜
9 Colon Oil	5⅞	5¾	5¾
1 Colt P Fire (2) XD	27½	27½	27½
120 Com Edison (8) AS	256	246½	253
146 Com & South war	3⅜	3¾	3⅞
2 Commun Wat Wks	13⅜	13¼	13⅜
4 Comstock Tunnel	⅜	⅜	⅜
21 Cons Cop Min	6⅝	6	6
11 Cons Dairy Pr (2a)	20⅝	19½	20⅝
6 Con G & E B(3.60)	89½	89	89
3 Cons Gas U A(2.20)	25	25	25
8 Cons Instrument	4¼	4	4
*2 Cons Laundries	10⅜	10½	10⅜
29 Cons Ret Stores (1)	12½	11⅜	12½
1 Cons Royalty (.60)	4½	4½	4½
1 Cooper Bessemer(2)	32½	32½	32½
2 Copeland Prod A	5⅞	5⅞	5⅞
12 Cord Corp	14½	13¾	13½
1 Corr & Reynolds	17½	17½	17½
3 Corr & Rey pf A(6)	82	80	82
1 Cosden Oil pf	63	63	63
13 Creole Pet	6⅜	6⅜	6⅜
7 Cresson Gold (.08)	⅜	⅜	⅜
8 Crocker & Wheeler	22½	20½	21¼
1 Crowley Milner (2)	31¾	31¾	31¾
15 Crown Cent Pet	⅝	½	½
4 Curtiss Wright war	2½	2⅜	2⅜
16 Cusi Mex Min	2	2	2
D			
17 Darby Pet (1)	9½	9⅛	9⅛
35 Deere &Co(6)AS,XD	419	405	419
30 De Forest Radio	6½	6	6½
2 De Havil old (.15)	6½	6½	6½
4 Derby Oil	5⅝	5¼	5¼
11 Detroit Aircraft	8	7⅝	8
3 Dixie Gas Util	12⅞	12½	12½
1 Douglas Aircraft	15¼	15¼	15¼
150 Draper Corp (4) AS	69½	66⅛	66⅛
1 Dresser M A (3½)	33	33	33
29 Dubilier Condenser	13⅞	12	13
25 Duke P (5a) AS,XD	145	145	145
4 Durant Mot	5	5	5
3 Duval Tex Sul	16½	16	16
1 Duz Inc ctfs	1	1	1
2 Duz Inc A	1	1	1
E			
28 Earl Radio	⅝	½	⅝
1 Eastern Gas & Fuel	25	25	25
9 East St. Power B	21⅜	19¼	21⅜
16 Eisler Elec	15	14½	14¾
1969 El Bd&Sh (6%f)XD	86¾	78⅝	86¼
6 El Bond & Sh pf(6)	103	102½	103
1 Elec Household Util	39	39	39
48 El Pow Assoc	27	25	26⅜
3375 El Pow Assoc A AS	24½	22	23½
24 El Pow&Lt opt war	26⅝	25½	26⅜
3 El Pow&Lt 2d pf(7)	100½	99½	99½
6 Electric Share (1a)	18	17⅝	18
4 Elec Share pf (6)	87	86⅞	86⅞
2 Empire Power (2)	39½	38¾	39½
3 Emp P Ser A (1.80)	23¼	23	23
3 Empire Steel	11¾	10½	11¾
1 Employ Reins (1½)	24¾	24	24
21 Eng Gold Mines	⅞	¾	¾

Sales in hundreds.	High	Low	Close
2 Evans Wallo Lead	4⅝	4⅝	4⅝
F			
2 Fairchild Aviat A	3⅜	3⅜	3⅜
10 Fajardo Sugar AS	55½	55½	55¼
4 Fandango Corp	1	1	1
2 Fansteel Prod	7¾	7¾	7¾
1 Fed Screw (3½g)	33¾	33¾	33¾
2 Ferro En A (5¼g)	54¼	54¼	54¼
33 Flat rects	18⅞	18½	18¾
2 Flat deb rts	2⅛	2⅛	2⅛
3 Finan Inv (8%f)	7	6¾	6¾
1 Fire Assoc Phil(2½)	39	39	39
15 Fokker Aircraft	18½	17	17⅞
26 Ford Mot Can A	31	29¾	31
1 Ford Mot France	8⅜	8⅜	8⅜
11 Ford Mot Ltd	11¾	11¼	11½
1 Foremost Fab (2)	22	22	22
14 Fourth Nat Inv	35	32½	35
127 Fox Theater A	7⅞	7⅛	7⅞
1 Franklin Mfg Co(2)	23¾	23¾	23¾
1 French Line (2.54)	37½	37½	37½
G			
2 Garlock Pack (1.20)	21	20¾	21
2 Gen Alloys (.80)	9⅞	9⅝	9⅞
2 Gen Am Inv Co	11	10¼	10¼
17 Gen Baking	4	3⅞	3⅞
8 Gen Baking pf (6)	80	79½	80
37 Gen El Ltd rct (⅛)	11½	11⅛	11⅜
1 Gen Empire	25	25	25
1 Gen Fireproof (2)	33¾	33¾	33¾
17 Gen Gas & El A	16	15½	16
6 Gen Ltd Mach (.80)	11	10½	11
31 Gen Realty & Util	11	10½	11½
5 Gen Realty Util pf (6)	90	79½	80
3 Gen Theater Eq vtc	31	30	31
1 Glen Alden Coal(10)	114⅞	114⅞	114⅞
2 Globe Underwriters	14½	14¼	14¼
6 Gold Dust	40	40	40
15 Gold Seal Electric	5¼	5	5⅛
10 Golden Center Min	4	3⅜	3⅜
16 Goldfield Cons			
192 Goldman S(6%f)XD	45½	41½	45¾
6 GorhamMfg vtc(2a)	40	40	40
4 Gorham, Inc., pf (3)	35	35	35
2 Gotham Knitbag	2	1⅞	2
2 Grama rets (2.91)	22	22	22
2 Graymur	31⅜	30⅝	31⅜
60 Gt A&P NY (5)AS	250	244	250
1 Greenfield T & D	14	14	14
350 Grief(L)&BropfXAS	92	92	92
5 Groc St Prod vtc	14	13	14
18 Guardian Fire (2)	42	35	40
2 Guardian Invest	4	4	4
7 Gulf Oil C Pa(1½)	143	141½	141½
H			
3 Hap Candy St A	1½	1¼	1¼
28 Hartford T pf(2z)	89	85½	88¼
12 Haygart Corp	36¾	36	36
1 Hazeltine (1)	19¾	19¾	19¾
3 Heyden Rubenstein	8¼	8	8
14 H Walker G&W (1)	12½	11½	11⅝
2 Hormel G (2)	39⅞	38	39⅞
5 Horn & Hard(2½g)	42	40½	40½
8 Houston Gulf Gas	9	8⅞	8⅞
74 Hudson Motor M&S	9⅞	7⅞	8⅜
5 Humble O&R (2)	89	85½	85½
39 Hydro El Serv (2)	40	38½	40
10 Hygrade Food	11¾	11½	11⅝
I			
10 Ill Pipe Line (20)	310	300	300
2 Imp Oil Can n (½)	27¼	27	27¼
12 Imp O Can rts (2a)	28	26	26
18 Ind Ter Illum(2¼g)	22½	21¼	21½
3 Ind Pipe Line n	41	40½	41
1 Indus Pin ctf(10%f)	18	18	18
30 Insull Util	62½	56⅜	62½
450 Insuli U 2d pf(6)AS	89	89	89
130 InsUprpf(5½)ASXD	83¼	83	83¼
5 Ins Co N Am(2½g)	67	64⅛	67
8 Ins Sec (1.40)	18¾	18½	18½
3 Intercoast Trade	22½	22¼	22½
136 Intercon Petrol	1¼	¼	1⅛
2 Inter Perfums (1)	8	8	8
11 Inter Pet (.62½)	22½	21¼	22½
5 Inter Super (1a) XD	36⅜	35½	36
2 Inter Util (3½)	37⅜	37⅛	37⅜
7 Inter Util B	7¾	6⅝	7
9 Interstate Equities	14⅜	14	14⅜
2 Irving Air Ch (1½)	14¼	14¼	14⅜
11 Ital-Superpow A	11⅛	11	11
7 Ital Super deb rts	5¾	5½	5¾
J			
1 Johnson Motor	30	30	30
K			
2 Kalamazoo Stove	65	65	65
1 Kobacker Stores	42½	42½	42½
L			
1 Lackawanna Fec(4)	36	36	36
10 Land Co Florida	2¾	2½	2¾
4 Lane Bryant (2)	30	26	26
1 Lazarus cod	26	26	26
2 Lefcourt Real (1.60)	18½	18½	18½
1 Lefcourt R pf (3)	29	29	29
19 Lehman Corp	76¼	74½	76
2 Ley Co (3)	45½	45½	45½
5 Lily T Cup (1½)	18⅜	17½	18⅛
1 Lion Oil (2)	21½	21½	21½
1 Loew's, war	5½	5¼	5½
6 Lone Star G n (.80)	36	34½	36
2 Long Is Lt (1.40)	43	43	43
20 Long Is Lt pf(7) AS	109	109	109
16 Louisiana L & E	3½	3⅜	3½
M			
2 MacMarr Stores	24	24	24
2 Magdahl Synd		¾	¾
1 Mapes CM(2%f)XD	41	41	41
3 Marc Int M (.52½)	11¼	11¼	11¼
30 Marine Mid (1.20)	38¼	37	37¼
7 Mavis Bottling Co	1⅝	1¼	1⅜
36 Marlower Asso	49	49	49
2 McGraw Elec Co	24	23⅞	24
1 Memphis Nat Gas	12	12	12
4 Metal T p pf (3½g)	40	39⅝	40
2 Metro Ch Stores	33½	33½	33½
48 Mid W Util n (.6f)	27	25⅝	27
3 Midwest Ut pf x w	100	100	100
3 Milgrim & Bros	11¼	11	11¼
1 Mining Co Can (¼)	3	3	3
3 Mo K PipeL(5½%f)	19	18¾	19
25 Moh Hud L p (7) AS	104¼	104¼	104¼
1 Mohawk Min (6)	48¼	48¼	48¼
1 Morrison Elec (1)	37¼	37¼	37¼
2 Mount Pr (1.60) XD	9¼	9¼	9½
2 Municipal Serv	11⅛	10½	10½
N			
3 Nachman Sp (3) XD	32	30	32
78 Nat Amer Co (2)	9¾	9¼	9½
11 Nat Aviation	10	9¼	9½
16 Nat Biscuit new	72⅝	72	72⅜
1 Nat Dairy pf A (7)	104¼	104¼	104¼
3 Nat Fam Sts (1.60)	21	20	21
50 Nat Food P A ur AS	18¼	18¼	18¼
1 Nat Fuel & Q (1)	26¾	26¾	26¾
8 National Investors	15¼	14¾	15
6 Nat Leather	1¾	1¾	1¾
1 Nat Mfg & Stores	15¼	15¼	15¼
10 Nat Transit (1¼g)	22⅜	21½	21½
1 Nat Rub Mach (2)	21¼	21¼	21¼
7 Nat Stl x war	37¼	35	35
2 Nat Sug Ref NJ (2)	33	33	33
1 Nat. Trade Journal	7⅞	7⅞	7⅞
9 Nat Transit (1½g)	22⅜	21¾	21¾
1 Nebel Os 1½s XD	10	10	10
3 Nehi Corp (1.30)	16¾	16½	16⅞
1 Nevada Cal Elec	58⅞	58⅞	58⅞
10 N Eng Pow p 6 AS	89	89	89
18 N Mex & Ariz Ld	3½	3½	3½
9 Newmont Mining 4a	119⅞	116½	116½
2 Newport Co (2)	26	26	26
47 Newport rts		⅛	⅛
4 N Y Auction (1½)	11	10⅜	10¾
1 NY & Hon Ros 2¼g	16	16	16
8 N Y Investors 1.20	24¾	24¼	24½
15 N Y Invest war	1¾	1¼	1¾
1 N Y Pet Roy (1)	15⅞	15⅜	15⅜
1 NY. Rio & B Aires	12	12	12
25 N Y T 6½% p (6½)	114½	114½	114½
203 Niag Hud Pow .40	13¾	12⅞	13
23 Niagara H Pow A w	3½	3½	3⅝
4 Nia Hud Pow B war	7	6⅞	6⅞
6 Niagara Sh (1/40f)	20	19	20
7 Niles Bem Pond	27½	27½	27½
2 Nipissing Mines .30	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞
6 Noma Elec (1.80)	14¾	14	14
9 Noranda Mines (3)	34	33½	34
17 North Am Aviation	13¼	13	13¼
2 N Am L & Pow 8%f	67½	67	67½
1 No Am Util Sec	6⅝	6⅝	6⅝
1 North Cent Tex .60	9	9	9
1 Northeastern P 1¾s	38	38	38
50 North Pipe Line 8s	52½	52½	52¼
19 Nor Sta Pow A (8)	175	168¼	172
2 Northwest Eng (3)	21	21	21
O			
21 Ohio Cop	1½	1½	1½
1 Ohio Oil (2¾g)	71⅞	71⅝	71⅝
3 Oil Stocks A (½b)	10	10	10
1 Oil Stocks B (½b)	11	11	11
1 Outboard Mot A 1.80	13⅜	12¾	12⅝
6 Outboard Mot B	4½	4½	4½
P			
1 Pac G&E 1st p 1½	26¼	26¼	26¼
14 Pac West Oil	15	15	15
44 Pandem Oil	⅜		
5 Pantepec Oil Venez	11	11	11
17 Paramount Cab 2.40	15⅛	13½	13
250 Pender Gr A 3½ AS	45¼	43½	45
270 Pennroad Cor	14¾	13¾	14½
110 P-O Ed pr pf(7)AS	107	105¼	105¼
10 P-O Ed 6% pf(6)AS	96¾	96¾	96¾
1 P P&L 7%pf(7)XD	107	107	107
4 Peo Lt P A(2.40r)	38½	36½	38½
1 Perryman El	10¾	10¾	10¾
53 Petrol Corp (1½)	21⅛	21	21⅛
20 Philip Morris	1½	½	½
2 Philip Morris, A	4¼	4¼	4¼
1 Pick B Co. pf(1¾)	9	7⅞	8¼
28 Pilot Rad. A(1.20)	11½	10⅝	11⅛
11 Pitney Bow n(.20)	11½	10½	11
350 P. R. Erie Ry(5)AS	118	117½	117½

CHECK DATA SHOW BUSINESS DECLINE

Chain-Store Sales, However, Rise 14.6 Per Cent Above Similar Period.

BANK PARTY IS PLANNED

By THOMAS M. CAHILL.

Business as shown by check payments during the week ending December 7, revealed a further slight decline from the week prior and was also below the comparative week of 1928, the Department of Commerce announced yesterday in its statement summarizing business conditions.

Steel plant activity also receded from both prior periods and the production of bituminous coal mines, while slighter than during the preceding week, exceeded that for the same week last year.

Petroleum production, however, was greater than for either of the comparative periods although receipts of wheat and cotton were considerably smaller than for the corresponding week of last year, while those of cattle and hogs were larger than a year ago. Freight car loadings for the latest reported week, showed a material decline from the corresponding week of last year.

Wholesale Prices Increase.

The general index of wholesale prices continued upward but was still substantially under last year's level. Prices of iron, steel and copper showed no change from the previous week, but those of wheat and cotton advanced, the price of wheat being also in excess of that of a year ago.

Business failures were more numerous than during either the preceding week or the corresponding week of last year.

Good news comes from the Federal American Co. At the latest meeting of its board of directors the regular dividend of $1.50 per share on the preferred stock, payable January 1, the regular dividend of 30 cents per share on the common stock, payable the same date, and an extra Christmas dividend of 30 cents per share, payable December 24, were declared.

All are payable to stockholders of record at the close of business December 18. Net earnings for the seven months of the fiscal year of the company were announced as $129,206.86.

Brokers' Loans Hurt Bank Credit.

The recent tremendous decline in brokers' loans has not brought about a more equitable distribution of bank credit between the securities market and business. Bank loans to brokers simply have been replaced by bank loans to individuals, says the J. Henry Schroder Banking Corporation, in its monthly commentary, and the secured loans of banks may even have been weakened somewhat by the emergency character of this individual borrowing.

"While all banks have reduced their loans made direct to brokers and dealers," says the Schroder house, "banks outside of New York City have withdrawn perhaps four times as much money as banks in New York City. The latter banks extended about $1,000,000,000 of credit to brokers during the last week in October, but since then have reduced their brokers' loans along with out-of-town banks. New York City banks between October 23 and December 4, however, accounted for only $285,000,000 of the total reduction of $1,838,000,000 in bank credit extended to brokers through New York City Reserve System member banks.

Favors New Center Market Project.

At a recent meeting of representative wholesale and retail dealers at Center Market and vicinity, a resolution was unanimously adopted favoring the erection of a centrally located Center Market. This meeing was attended by representatives of a large number of hotel supply houses and retail dealers doing business in the vicinity of Center Market and Louisiana avenue.

A great many dealers expressed a desire to form a new wholesale and retail section in a central location. Morris Wittlin presided and future meetings will be held with the idea of developing some definite plan to be followed by the various dealers in the near future.

Chain Store Business Gains.

The scare headlines about the stock market and reduced business volume have apparently had little or no effect on the chain stores, according to this week's United Business Service Report.

Aggregate sales for six important chains, excluding grocery chains, for the last two months on record show an increase of 14.6 per cent over the corresponding period of 1928. For the same two months, sales of grocery chains showed a gain of 10.2 per cent over a year ago.

Since a rather large part of this increase is due to the opening of new outlets, the figures are not quite representative. Nevertheless, it seems certain that the upward trend in expansion is still in progress and that a termination of this tendency is not a near-term probability.

District Stocks Gain Slightly.

Although business in the stock division of the Washington Stock Exchange continued light yesterday, a sharp favorable reaction in bond sales was experience, the day's total mounting from $600 on Thursday to a record of $16,460 from the preceding 24 to $14,800.

Bond sales included Anacostia & Potomac 5s, $5,000 at point and two $1,000 at rises from 89, $3,800 Capital Traction 4s at fractional advances from 92, $2,500 in Washington Gas 4s at fractional declines from 100 and $2,000 Washington Railway & Electric 4s at 83½ and 84.

Largest stock turnover was in Federal-American Co. common, 50 shares moving at 82, 2½ points off, and 50 shares of Fifty shares of National Mortgage & Investment preferred sold at 4, 1½ points rise. Other small lots brought the total to 165 shares, 88 under Thursday's sales.

Thom Accepts Security Storage Post.

At a recent meeting of the board of directors of Security Storage Co. Corcoran Thom, president of the American Security & Trust Co., was elected a member of the board of directors of the company to succeed the late Charles J. Bell.

Although the protective committee of the District of Columbia Bankers' Association has been considering advisability of having depositors call at banks for monthly statements, mailing of statements has proved so satisfactory that no change is probable at this time.

The Christmas party of the Bank Women's Club of Washington will be held at the Huguenot, December 18, at 6 o'clock in the evening. There will be a dinner and special entertainment. Miss Mabel V. Royce, of the Washington Loan & Trust Co., and vice president of the club, will preside.

Bond Club Meeting.

The Bond Club of Washington will meet at the Carlton Hotel on the afternoon of December 27. The luncheon meeting will be addressed by Paul Clay, formerly an annalist for Moody's Investment Service and now affiliated with United States Shares Corporation.

Herbert B. Smithers, of New York, and Maurice H. Bent, of Chicago, two partners in Eastman, Dillon & Co., visited with Resident Manager Arthur Foraker, of that firm, this week.

J. Tallman Hendrick and Karl W. Corby attended the regular meeting of directors of the Lanston Monotype Co. in Philadelphia this week.

BOND SALES ON NEW YORK EXCHANGE

(Reported direct from the New York Stock Exchange by J. & W. Seligman & Co.)

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT WAR LOANS.
The following sales are given in lots of $1,000.
(Quotations in dollars and 32ds of a dollar.)

Sale	Issue	Open	High	Low	Last
28	Liberty 3½s	99.8	99.7	99.4	99.6
68	Liberty 1st 4¼s	100.28	100.31	100.25	100.31
512	Liberty 4th 4¼s	101.13	101.17	101.13	101.14
17	Lib 4th 4¼s, reg	101.13	101.13	101.13	101.13
212	U S G 4¼s	111.28	112	111.28	111.30
176	U S G 4s	107.28	108	107.28	107.30
23	U S G 3½s	104.30	104.30	104.30	104.30
3	U S G 3½s, 1943	99.26	100	99.26	100
4	U S G 3½s, 1947	99.26	100	99.26	100

FOREIGN GOVERNMENT BONDS.

Sale	Issue	Open	High	Low	Last
	A				
3	Antioquia, Dept of, A, 7s, 1945	80	80	79¼	80
12	Antioquia, Dept of, B, 7s, 1945	81	81½	81	81½
3	Antioquia, Dept of, 2nd 7s, 1957	76	76	76	76
2	Antioquia, Dept of, 3d 7s, 1957	77½	77½	77½	77½
8	Antwerp, City of, 5s, 1958	92¾	92¾	92¾	92¾
15	Argentine Govt 6s, ser A, 1957	98¾	98¾	98¾	98¾
1	Argentine Govt 6s, ser B, 1958	98¾	98¾	98¾	98¾
52	Argentine Govt 6s, June, 1959	93¾	93½	93½	93¾
17	Argentine Govt 6s, Oct, 1950	93¾	93½	93½	93¾
14	Argentine Govt 6s, May, 1960	93¾	93	93¼	93
17	Argentine Govt 6s, Oct, 1960	99	99¼	98¾	99¼
39	Argentine Govt 6s, Sept, 1960	93½	93¾	93	93¾
12	Argentine Govt 6s, Feb, 1961	93¾	93¾	93¾	93¾
8	Argentine Govt 6s, May, 1961	93¼	93¾	93½	93¾
7	Argentine Govt 5½s, 1962	94	94¼	93½	93½
27	Australia 5s, 1955	93¾	93¾	93	93½
14	Australia 5s, 1957	93½	93¾	93½	93½
2	Australian 5s, 1956	85¼	85½	85¼	85½
2	Austrian Govt 7s, 1943	103½	103½	103½	103½
	B				
25	Belgium, King of, 6s, 1955	100½	101	100½	100¾
8	Belgium, King of, 6½s, 1949	105	105½	105	106½
6	Belgium, King of, 7½s, 1945	116½	116½	116	116
18	Belgium, King of, 7s, 1955	108½	108¾	108½	108½
16	Belgium, King of, 7s, 1956	105¾	106¼	105¾	106
3	Belgium, King of, 8s, 1941	110	110	109	109
1	Berlin 6½s, 1950	95	95	95	95
21	Berlin 6s, 1958	90	90	90	90
1	Bogota, City of, 8s, 1945	97¾	97¾	97¾	97¾
4	Bolivia, 8s, 1947	94	94	94	94
3	Bolovia 7s, 1958	82½	82½	82½	82½
16	Bolivia 7s, 1958, ct	81½	81½	81½	81½
22	Bordeaux, City of, 6s, 1934	102½	102¾	102½	102¾
10	Brazil, U S of, 7s, 1942	88	88½	88	88
34	Brazil, U S of, 6½s, 1926-57	77½	78	77½	78
32	Brazil, U S of, 6½s, 1927-57	77½	78	77	77
68	Brazil, U S of, 8s, 1941	98¼	98¾	98¼	98¾
7	Bremen, State of, 7s, 1935	100¾	100¾	100¾	100¾
1	Brisbane, City of, 5s, 1957	90	90	90	90
37	Buenos Aires, Prov of, 6s, 1961	89	89	88½	89
4	Bulgaria, King of, 7s, 1967	77	77	77	77
4	Bulgaria, King of, 7½s, 1968	84½	84½	84½	84½
	C				
3	Caldas, Dept of, 7½s, 1946	84½	84½	84½	84½
3	Canada, Dom of, 5s, 1931	100¾	100¾	100¾	100¾
2	Canada, Dom of, 5s, 1952	102½	102½	102½	102½
10	Canada, Dom of, 4½s, 1936	98½	98½	97¾	97¾
1	Cauca Valley, Rep of, 7½s, 1946	88½	88½	88½	88½
15	Chile, Rep of, 6s, 1960	91½	92	91½	91½
4	Chile, Rep of, 6s, 1961	91	91½	91	91½
4	Chile, Rep of, 6s, 1961, Jan	91	91½	91	91½
5	Chile, Rep of, 6s, 1961, Sept	91¼	91½	91	91½
1	Chile, Rep of, 8s, 1942	102	102	102	102
5	Chinese Govt 5s, 1951	25	25	25	25
5	Cologne, City of, 6½s, 1950	95	95	95	95
9	Colombia, Rep of, 6s, 1961, Jan	78¾	78¾	78¾	78¾
7	Colombia, Rep of, 6s, 1961, Oct	78½	78½	78½	78½
24	Copen, City of, 5s, 1952	95½	96	95½	96
7	Copen, City of, 4½s, 1953	89½	89½	89½	89¼
6	Cundinamarca, Dept of, 6½s, 1959	70	70	69¾	70
8	Czechoslovakia, Rep of, 8s, 1951	109½	109½	108¾	108¾
1	Czechoslovakia, Rep of, 8s, 1952	108½	108½	108½	108½
	D				
2	Denmark, King of, 6s, 1942	104¼	104¼	104¼	104¼
4	Denmark, King of, 5½s, 1955	100¾	100¾	100¾	100¾
14	Denmark, King of, 4½s, 1962	90½	90½	90	90½
1	Danish Mun 8s, ser A, 1946	110¾	110¾	110¾	110¾
1	Danish Mun 8s, ser B, 1946	110¾	110¾	110¾	110¾
1	Dominican, Rep of, 5½s, 1942, 1st	92	92	92	92
1	Dominican, Rep of, 5½s, 1940, 2d	92½	92¼	92¼	92¼
1	Dresden, City of, 7s, 1945	96	96	96	96
3	Dutch E India 6s, 1962	101¾	102	101¾	102
1	Dutch E India 5½s, 1953, Mar	101¼	101¼	101¼	101¼
	F				
4	Finland, Rep of, 5½s, 1958	85½	85½	84¾	84¾
1	Finland, Rep of, 6s, 1945	92	92	92	92
5	Finland, Rep of, 7s, 1950	97¾	97¾	97½	97½
1	Finnish Muncip 6½s, 1954, A	91	91	91	91
5	Finnish Muncip 6½s, 1954, B	92	92	92	92
19	French Govt 7½s, 1941	117½	118	117½	118
30	French Govt 7s, 1949	110½	110¾	110½	110¾
	G				
2	German Govt 7s, 1949	106½	106½	106½	106¾
4	Graz Municipality 8s, 1954	94½	94½	94	94
6	Greek Govt 7s, 1964	98¼	98¼	98¼	98¼
5	Greek Govt 6s, 1968	82¾	82¾	82¾	82¾
	H				
6	Haiti, Rep of, 6s, 1952	97½	97½	97½	97½
2	Hungarian Con Mun 7½s, 1945	93¼	93¼	93	93
1	Hungarian Con Mun 7s, 1946	86½	86½	86½	86½
1	Hungary, King of, 7½s, 1944	101½	101½	101½	101½
	I				
9	Irish Free State 5s, 1960	97¼	97¼	97¼	97¼
24	Italy, King of, 7s, 1951	95¼	95½	94¾	95
	J				
46	Japanese 6½s, 1934	102¾	102¾	102	102
6	Jugoslavia Bk 7s, 1947	77½	77½	76½	76½
	L				
13	Lyons, City of, 6s, 1934	102½	102½	102½	102½
	M				
11	Marseilles, City of, 6s, 1934	102½	103	102½	103
1	Medellin, Municipality of 8½s, 1954	71¾	71¾	71¾	71¾
10	Mexico, U S of, 4s, 1910, large	11½	11½	11½	11½
3	Mexico, U S of, 4s, 1904	11½	11½	11½	11½
1	Mexico, U S of, large, 6s, 1923	18	18	18	18
3	Mexico, U S of, small, 6s, 1933	17	18	17	18
21	Milan, City of, 6½s, 1952	86¼	86¼	86¼	86¼
4	Minas Gereas 6½s, 1958	79¾	79¾	77½	77½
6	Montevideo, City of, 7s, 1952	100½	100¾	100½	100¾
	N				
10	Norway, King of, 5s, 1965	96½	96½	96½	96¼
4	Norway, King of, 5½s, 1965	100¼	100½	100¼	100½
6	Norway, King of, 6s, 1943	102¾	103	102¾	103
9	Norway, King of, 6s, 1944	103	103	102¾	103
12	Norway, King of, 6s, 1952	102½	102½	102¼	102½
6	Nurnemburg, City of, 6s, 1952	84¾	84¾	84¾	84¾
	O				
1	Oslo, City of, 6s, 1955	101¼	101¼	101¼	101¼
	P				
1	Pernambuco, State of, 7s, 1947	80¼	80¼	80¼	80¼
11	Peru 6s, 1960	78¾	78½	76¾	78½
24	Peru 6s, 1961	78¾	78¾	76¾	78¾
5	Peru 6s, 1959	94¾	94¾	94¾	94¾
5	Poland 8s, 1950	91¼	91¾	91¼	91¾
64	Poland 7s, 1947	83½	83½	83½	83¾
9	Poland 7s, 1958	75	76	75	76
2	Porto Alegre, City of, 7½s, 1968	93	93	93	93
5	Prague, City of, 7½s, 1952	104	104	104	104
	Q				
12	Queenland, State of, 7s, 1941	108½	108½	108	108½
	R				
49	Rio de J. City of, 6½s, 1953	79	79	78	78¼
6	Rio Gr do Sul St of, 7s, 1966	83½	83½	82	83
17	Rio Gr do Sul St of, 8s, 1946	101¾	102	101¼	102
14	Rio Gr do Sul St of, 6s, 1968	74	75	73	75
16	Rome, City of, 6½s, 1952	88	88¼	88	88¼
	S				
3	Santa Fe, Prov of, 7s, 1942	95¾	95¾	95	95
8	Sao Paulo, City of, 8s, 1952	100	100¼	100	100
1	Sao Paulo, City of, 6½s, 1967	83¼	83¼	83¼	83¼
4	Sao Paulo, State of, 6s, 1968	73¾	73¾	73¾	73½
2	Sao Paulo, State of, 7s, 1956	84¾	84¾	84¾	84¾
2	Sao Paulo, State of, 8s, 1936	98	98	98	98
14	Sao Paulo, State of, 8s, 1950	96½	96½	93½	93½
35	Seine, Dept of, 7s, 1956	106¾	107	106¾	107
2	Serbs, C & S, King of, 8s, 1962	86½	86½	86	86
10	Serbs, C & S, King of, 7s, 1962	77	77	76	76
2	Silesia, Prov of, 7s, 1958	77	77	77	77
6	Solingen, City of, 6s, 1936	101¼	101¼	100½	100½
24	Sweden, King of, 5½s, 1954	104	104	104	104
3	Sweden, King of, 6s, 1939	102¾	102½	102¾	102½
7	Switzerland, Govt of, 5½s, 1946	103¾	103½	103¼	103¼
	T				
18	Tokyo, City of, 5s, 1952	75	75	75	75
12	Tokyo, City of, 5½s, 1961	89	89¾	89	89¾
2	Tolima, Dept of, 7s, 1947	75	75	73	73
	U				
18	U K Gt B & I 5½s, 1937	102¾	102¾	102½	102¾
1	Uruguay, Rep of, 8s, 1946	106¾	106¾	106¾	106¾
18	Uruguay, Rep of, 6s, 1960	96¾	97	96¾	97
	V				
1	Venetian Prov Mtg Bank 7s, 1952	89½	89½	89½	89½
4	Vienna, City of, 6s, 1952	84¼	84¼	84	84
	W				
4	Warsaw 7s, 1958	77½	77½	77	77
	Y				
5	Yokohama, City of, 6s, 1961	95¾	95¾	95¾	95¾

DOMESTIC BONDS—RAILS AND MISCELLANEOUS.
The Following Sales Are Given in Lots of $1,000.

Sale	Issue	Open	High	Low	Last
31	Abitibi Power & Paper 5s, 1953	83½	83½	83½	83½
13	Abraham & Strauss 5½s, 1943	100½	101¼	100½	101¼
55	Allegheny Corp 5s, 1944	100¾	101	100½	100½
85	Allegheny Corp 5s, 1949	101¾	101½	100	100
3	Amer Agri Chem 7½s, 1941	103½	103½	103	103
23	Amer I G Chemical 5½s, 1949	103½	103½	103¼	103
4	American International 5½s, 1949	95¾	95¾	95¾	95¾
25	Amer Nat Gas 6½s, 1942	79	79	79	79
17	Amer Smelt 5s, 1947	100½	100½	100½	100½
11	Amer Sugar Ref 6s, 1937	103	103	102½	102½
904	Amer Tel & Tel 4½s, 1939	139	143½	136	141
2	Amer Tel & Tel 4½s, 1933	98	98½	98	98½
14	Amer T & T Col 5½s, 1943	107	107	106½	106¾
30	Amer Tel & Tel 5s, 1960	104	104½	104	104½
7	Amer Water Works 6s, 1975	105	105	104½	105
21	Armour & Co 4½s, 1939	90¼	90¼	90¼	90¼
12	Armour & Co of Del 5½s, 1943	84	84¾	84	84¾
10	A T & S F gen 4s, 1995	93	93½	93	93½
17	A T & S F 4½s, 1998	130	130	129¼	129¼
1	A T & S F 4s, 1905-1955	88	88	88	88
1	Atlantic Coast Line 4s, 1952	94	94	94	94
41	A C L & N col 4s, 1952	91	91	91	91
	B				
4	B & O 1st 4s, 1948	92	92	92	92
2	B & O cvt 4½s, 1933	98¾	99	98¾	99
6	B & O 1st r 5s, 1948	103½	104	103½	104
31	B & O ref & gen 5s, 1995	102¼	102½	102	102
1	B & O ref 6s, 1995	109	109	109	109
1	B & O (Toll & Cin) 4s, 1959	85½	86¼	85½	86¼
38	Batavian Petroleum 4½s, 1942	93	93	92¾	93
1	Bell Tel of Pa 5s, ser C, 1960	105½	105½	105½	105½
1	Bell Tel of Pa 5s, ser B, 1948	104½	104½	104½	104½
3	Berlin Elec Elev 6½s, 1956	86¾	86¾	86¾	86¾
1	Berlin Citl Elec 6½s, 1951	89¼	89¼	89	89
8	Berlin City Elec 6½s, 1959	89½	89½	88½	89
12	Beth Steel 5s, 1936	106	106	106	106
17	Beth Steel 6s, 1948	104¾	105	104¾	105
2	Bowman-Baltimore 7s, 1934	101½	101½	101½	101½
1	Brooklyn Edison 6s B, 1930	100¼	100¼	100¼	100¼
30	Brooklyn Man Tran 6s, 1968	95	95	94¾	95
3	Bush Terminal 5s, 1955	97½	97½	97½	97½
	C				
14	Canadian Nat 4½s, 1954	94¼	94¼	93½	93½
3	Canadian National 4½s, 1968	93¾	94¼	93¾	94¼
14	Canadian National 5s, gtd	100¾	100½	100¼	100¾
8	Canadian Pac deb 4s	85¾	85½	85	85
2	Canadian Pac 4½s, 1945	98¼	98¼	98¼	98¼
1	Canadian Pac 5s, 1944	102¼	102½	102½	102½
27	Central of Ga 5s, ser C, 1959	100	100	99½	99½

Total bond sales today, $13,962,000; yesterday, $12,231,000; week ago, $13,623,000; year ago, $7,716,000.

Sale	Issue	Open	High	Low	Last
3	Central Pacific 1st 4s, 1949	91¼	91¼	91¼	91¼
5	Central Pacific 5s, 1960	102½	102½	102½	102½
12	Certainteed Prod 5½s, 1948	64½	64½	64	64
1	Ches & Ohio gen 4½s, 1992	100	100	100	100
15	Ches & Ohio cvt 4½s, 1930	99⅞	99⅞	99⅞	99⅞
1	Ches & Ohio 4½s, 1993	95¾	95¾	95¾	95¾
1	Chic Corporation 5s, 1947	99½	99½	99	99
7	C & E Ill 1st cons g 6s, 1951	75½	75½	75½	75½
18	Chicago Great West 1st 4s, 1959	64	65	64	65
2	C M St P & Pac 6s, 1978	92½	92½	92½	92½
22	C M St P & Pac a/s 5s, 2000	72½	72½	72	73
188	Chicago & N W 4½s, 1949, ct	100½	100¾	100½	100¾
15	Chicago & N W 7s, 1930	101¼	101¼	101	101
1	Chicago Ryt 1st 5s, 1927	78	78	78	78
19	Chicago R I & P ref 4s, 1934	93½	93½	93½	93½
10	Chicago R I & P 4½s, 1952	93¼	93¼	93¼	93¼
3	Chicago Union Station 6½s, 1963	115¾	115¾	115¾	115¾
4	Chile Copper 5s, 1947	95½	95½	95½	95½
1	C C C & St L 4½s, 1977, E	98¾	98¾	98¾	98¾
23	Colon Oil 6s, 1938	77	77	73¼	72¼
10	Colo & Southern ref 4½s, 1935	98	98	98	98
3	Columbia Gas & El 5s, 1952, May	100¼	100¼	100¼	100¼
1	Columbia Gas & El 5s, 1952, April	99¾	99¾	99¾	99¾
22	Commercial Inv 5½s, 1940	88¾	87	86½	86½
2	Consolidated Gas N Y 5½s, 1945	106	106	106	106
1	Cons Elec Pow of Wuert, 7s, 1950	100	90	90	90
4	Containaer Corp of Am, 1943	76½	76¾	76	76
2	Crown Willamette Paper Co 1951	101	101	101	101
5	Cub Am S 1st col 5s, 1931	99½	99½	99½	99½
	D				
1	Dela & Hudson sec 7s, 1930	101	101	101	101
2	Den & R Gr 1st 4s, 1936	93½	93½	93½	93½
12	Den & R Gr & West 5s, 1978	89½	89½	89½	89½
3	Den. R Gr & West 5s, 1955	91½	91½	91½	91½
10	Detroit Ed 1st 5s, 1933	102½	102½	102½	102½
2	Detroit Ed, ser A, 5s, 1949	101½	101½	101½	101½
1	Detroit Ed, ser B, 5s, 1955	103	103	103	103
3	Detroit Ed 1st & ref 5s, 1940	104	104	103½	103½
2	Detroit Ed 1st & ref 6s, 1940	107½	107½	107½	107½
6	Dodge Bros 6s, 1940	94½	94½	94½	94½
2	Dodd, Jacob, 6s, 1942	70½	70½	70½	70½
5	Duke-Price Pow 6s, 1966	103½	104	103½	104
5	Duquesne Light 4½s, 1967	99½	99½	99½	99½
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1	Erie 1st cons g 1n 4s, 1996	85½	85½	85½	85½
58	Erie 1st r 5s, 1967	96¾	96¾	96	96¾
2	Erie 1st cons ext 7s, 1930	101½	101½	101½	101½
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6	Fed Lt & Tract 1st 6s, 1942	92½	92½	92	92
18	Fla East Coast 1st & r 5s, 1974	55	53	53	53
1	Framerican Ind Dev 7½s, 1942	104½	104½	104½	104½
1	French Nat S S Lines 7s, 1949	103½	103½	103	103
	G				
3	Gannett Co, Inc, 6s, 1934	90	90	90	90
1	General Cable 5½s, 1947	99½	99½	99½	99½
1	Gen Motors Acc Ac, 1937	101½	101¾	101½	101½
2	Gen Pub Service 5½s, 1939	95½	95½	95½	95½
45	Gen Steel Casting 5½s, 1949	102¾	102¾	101½	101½
4	German Con Agri Bk 6s, 1960, July	79½	79½	78½	78½
1	Ger Con Ag Bk 6s, 1960, Oct	78½	78½	78½	78½
2	Ger Con Mun 6s, 1938	84½	84½	84½	84½
51	Goodyear T & R 5s, 1957	91½	91½	91½	91½
12	Grand Trunk of Can deb 7s, 1940	110	110	110	110
2	Gt Cons El P of Jap 6½s, 1950	91½	91½	91½	91½
1	Great Nor 5½s, 1952	108	108	108	108
13	Great Nor 7s, 1936	110	110¼	110	110¼
	H				
10	Harpen Mining Corp 6s, 1949	87	87	87	87
15	Hudson Coal Co 5s, 1962	69¼	70	69¼	70
26	H & M adj inc 5s, 1957	77	77½	77	77½
6	Humble Oil 5½s, 1939	101¾	101¾	101¼	101½
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2	Ill Cent 4½s, 1966	98¾	98½	98½	98¾
6	Inland Steel Co 4½s, 1978	92¾	92¾	92½	92½
12	Interb R T ref 5s, 1966	63½	63½	62	62½
3	Interb R T ref 5s, 1966, sta	62½	62½	62	62
1	Internat Agri 5s, 1932	93½	93½	93½	93½
3	Interl & Gt N 4½s, 1952	87½	87½	87½	87½
40	Internat Match 5s, 1947	97¾	97¾	97¼	97¾
1	Internat Mer Mar 6s, 1941	97	97	97	97
100	International Tel & Tel 4½s, 1952	93¾	94½	92¾	94
91	International Tel & Tel 4½s, 1939	122½	125½	122½	125½
	K				
3	Kans City S 1st & 5s, 1950	76¼	76¼	76	76
6	Kans C S ref & imp 5s, 1950	100	100	100	100
36	Krueger-Toll Co 5s, 1959	93¾	93¾	93½	93½
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5	Lautaro Nitrate 6s, 1954	82½	82½	81¾	81¾
5	Long Island 6s, 1937	97	97	97	97
10	Lorillard Co, 5½s, 1937	97	97	97	97
1	Low's Inc 6s, 1949	103	103	103	103
1	Low's Inc 6s, 1941, ex-war	91¾	91¾	91¾	91¾
1	Louis & Nash 1st & ref 5s B, 2003	103½	103½	103½	103½
5	Louis & Nash 1st ref 5½s, 2003	105½	105½	105½	106½
	M				
3	Manati Sugar 7½s, 1942	62¾	62¾	62¼	62¼
4	Milwaukee El 5s, 1961	99½	99½	99½	99½
1	M St P & S S M cons 5s, 1938, gtd	99¼	99¼	99¼	99¼
2	M. K & T 1st & 4s, 1990	87¼	88	87¼	88
1	M. K & T pr lien 4s, B, 1962	88½	88½	88½	89¼
10	M. K & T 4½s, 1978	89¼	89¼	89¼	89¼
12	M. K & T pr lien 5s, A, 1962	101¾	101¾	101¼	101¾
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HACK WILSON FIGHTS ART SHIRES IN CHICAGO RING

G.U. Coaching Appointment Awaited

Palm or DaGrossa to Be Named in Week, Is Expectation.

Out-of-town Trips of Hilltop Teams Will Be Curtailed.

THE appointment by Georgetown University of a head football coach to succeed Lou Little, resigned, now is expected during the next week by persons close to athletic authorities at the Hilltop.

Mike Palm, back-field coach under Little, and John DaGrossa, line coach, continue to be first in line for the post vacated by Little. The Post was reliably informed last night, despite the fact that other names have been conneced with the berth and have been given consideration by Georgetown officials.

Both Palm and DaGrossa are in receipt of offers to coach at other institutions, it i sknown, and are awaiting only the decision of the Georgetown officials before determining their course. Both desire to remain at Georgetown, they assert. Both have the backing of influential alumni, and one cause of the delay in the naming of Little's successor is believed to be the indecision regarding whether Palm be head coach and DaGrossa his assistant or vice versa.

Alumni Favors Palm And Dagrossa.

There have also been reports that the two will fill the head coach position jointly, although this is discounted. Sentiment among alumni of the Hilltop leans toward Palm as head coach and DaGrossa as his assistant.

Elmer Layden, one of Notre Dame's immortal "Four Horsemen" who has an enviable record as coach at Duquesne and who was offered the Georgetown position, is unable to accept, according to an Associated Press dispatch from Pittsburgh. Layden's contract with Duquesne has four more years to run, he said.

A gradual curtailment of Georgetown's athletic activities insofar as out-of-town trips of its teams with the exception of football, is understood to have been approved.

Northern Trips Discontinued.

This departure will mean that the annual northern trips of the Hilltop baseball teams and the frequent sallies of Georgetown trackmen North for the many indoor meets will be discontinued in the main. The schedules for the remainder of this year and 1930 will not be affected, it is reported, but the 1931 lists will show few out-of-town bookings.

Despite reports to the contrary, boxing at Georgetown will be continued as a varsity sport, it was learned, although lacking official confirmation from Father O'Brien, faculty advisor of athletics.

Color Ban on Fights Menaces Title Contest

Chicago, Dec. 13 (A.P.).—A rule prohibiting boxing matches between whites and negroes, passed by the old Illinois State Athletic Commission because of a riot during the Jackie Fields-Young Jack Thompson bout at the Coliseum last March, must be rescinded before the pair will be permitted to engage in a title bout in the same arena, for Promoter Jack Dempsey, January 17.

Dempsey has Fields, welterweight titleholder, and Thompson, San Francisco negro, lined up for a championship bout, and it is expected the new commission will repeal the ruling made by the commission headed by Paul Prehn. Prehn's committee made the regulation after one man was killed and several were injured in the riot during the last meeting of the pair. The trouble started when a white man and a negro came to blows over the merits of the fighters.

The meeting, if it is held, will be the third between Fields and Thompson, both previous battles having resulted in decision victories for Fields.

FIGHTER'S PURSE HELD UP.

Chicago, Dec. 13 (A.P.).—The Illinois State Athletic Commission today held up the purse of Italian Jack Herman, a Cleveland middleweight, because of his unsatisfactory showing against Al Stillman in a boxing match at Belleville, Ill., last Monday night. Herman was stopped in the first round.

Springfield Outfielder Purchased by Giants

New York, Dec. 13 (A.P.).—A new outfielder was added to the roster of the New York Giants today when Morris Fitzgerald was purchased from the Springfield (Mass.) Club of the Eastern League. The Giants were informed that Fitzgerald made a new league record by hitting 23 triples and led the circuit in stolen bases.

South's Colleges War Against Professionalism

Baton Rouge, La., Dec. 13 (A.P.). Another war against professionalism in college athletics was launched by the Southern Conference here today. The executive committee opened the annual meeting by vigorously recommending the conference to take drastic steps to disqualify athletes who enter into agreements with professional teams before the expiration of their college careers.

If the conference tomorrow votes favorably on the recommendations, several sharp teeth will be added to the rule which now applies only to athletes signing contracts or entering into agreements with baseball teams to cover all professional sports, football and basketball included.

Heat Only Fear of Carnegie Against S. California Today

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 13 (A.P.).—Football teams of Carnegie Institute of Technology, Pittsburgh, and the University of Southern California, Los Angeles, line up here at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon for an intersectional game. Today both squads rested.

Coach Walter Steffen, of Carnegie, said the warm weather was his only worry.

"Our last game was played on an ice-covered field against New York University," he commented. "Tomorrow we play Southern California beneath a warm sun, or at least we expect it to be warm. If my players can hold up under the climate and the Trojan running attack, don't be surprised if we hand the boys a nice little upset.

"I have a good team; one which has been hit by injuries throughout the season, but now, with the exception of Tank Highberger, every man is ready. Highberger suffered a sprained ankle in a workout at Albuquerque and I will not know whether the big fellow will be able to start against Southern California until tomorrow."

The visitors held a light workout this morning and then went sightseeing.

The Southern California Trojans, practice over, rested after a week spent perfecting defenses against tricky plays the Easterners are expected to use. The Californians realize that much of their reputation for the New Year's Day game against Pittsburgh at Pasadena rests on tomorrow's outcome and have prepared themselves accordingly.

STARS TRAIL IN COAST GOLF

Outsiders Lead Field at Catalina Island; 23 Break Par.

AVALON, Santa Catalina Island, Calif., Dec. 13 (A.P.).—Wending their way through eighteen holes of subpar golf, seven entrants in the Catalina Island $7,500 open today turned in cards of 63, 3 under perfect figures, to lead the favorites in the first round of the second annual tourney.

Absent from this list of leaders was Horton Smith, Joplin, Mo., professional and defending champion; Leo Diegel, Agua Caliente, National Professional Golfers Association titleholder, and Walter Hagen, Detroit, Mich., British open champion.

In their stead stood Ray Mangrum, Los Angeles, Calif. Wild Bill Mehlhorn, New York; Henry Cuici, Bridgeport, Conn.; Chet Beer, Bakersfield, Calif.; Charles Guest, Los Angeles; Herbert Walter, Gary, Ind., and Neal McIntyre, Indianapolis.

Hagen was the more fortunate of the trio, turning in a 66 to equal par. "Larruping" Leo from Baja, Calif., fell into bad ways on the par 3 fifteenth, taking 6 for a 67 card. Smith was also in the 67 class as a result of golf which hovered about perfect scores, only to rise above on the final hole when he missed an easy putt.

23 Players Break Par.

Twenty-three players shattered par in their relentless drive to qualify for the final eighteen holes of play Sunday, which will see only 48 survivors after tomorrow's 18. Eighty-one of the 139 entrants came in with scores of 70 or better. The troublesome greens and the steep climbs were responsible for the downfall of a number of outstanding golfers.

Most unfortunate of these was Al Espinosa, of Chicago, who rounded the eighteen with a 70. He was only 1 point higher, however, than Joe Turnesa, New York professional and member of the Ryder Cup Team, and Johnny Dawson, Chicago, second ranking amateur of the Nation. Nick Schaefer, Culver City, Calif., led the amateur field with a 66.

BANNEDIOWA ATHLETES PROTEST

Sums Borrowed From "Trust Fund" Paid Back, Is Claim.

IOWA CITY, Iowa, Dec. 13 (A.P.).—An echo of the action of the university of Iowa athletic board in declaring fourteen Hawkeyes ineligible for further competition because of having borrowed money from a "trust fund" was heard today. Several of those banned claimed they had paid back the sums loaned, Oran Pape, football half back and sprinter on the track team, and Homer Musgrove, baseball player, among them.

The list announced yesterday showed that Pape owed $25 while Musgrove owed $45. Both claimed they had paid back the sums in full.

Meanwhile, the two coaches who suffered worst from the wholesale dismissal of athletes—Burt Ingwersen, of football, and Rollie Williamson, of basket ball, continued to lay plans.

Many Football Foes Being Considered.

Ingwersen lost the bulwark of his back field due to the athletic council action, but nevertheless continued to plan for a hard schedule. He said he expected to close negotiations tomorrow for a November 8 game with Marquette at Milwaukee, and had under advisement offers from several other schools.

Williams already has fourteen games lined up and was too busy today revamping his team's line-up to give the schedule much attention. He lost four regulars and two reserves in the house cleaning and has but two more days in which to draft a line-up for the intersectional game with Pittsburgh here Monday night.

The offers which came to Ingwersen today indicated he would have plenty of teams from which to choose his 1930 opponents. Western Maryland offered to play Iowa at Baltimore either November 1, or November 29, and said it would revise its schedule to meet the Hawkeyes on October 11, or any date in November at Iowa City.

Forced to Reject W. and J. Game.

Ingwersen said he would rather not accept an offer from Washington and Jefferson for a game November 1 here as that would mean four hard games in a row, three of them in Iowa City. Penn State comes here November 15 and Nebraska November 22.

The University of Detroit asked for a home-and-home contract which Ingwersen said he would refer to the athletic board as he did not have authority to sign a two-year contract with any team but Nebraska.

The gridiron mentor was not enthusiastic about an offer from Baylor University to play Iowa at Waco, Tex., on October 4. He said he felt the date was too early for such a hard game. He had, however, an offer from Oklahoma A. and M. for a night game at Stillwater for the same date.

Emanuel and Gagnon To Clash at Boston

Boston, Dec. 13 (A.P.).—Armand Emanuel, Los Angeles heavyweight, has been signed to battle Jack Gagnon, of Boston, in the feature ten-round bout of an all-star card at the Boston Garden on December 20. Another ten-rounder the same night will bring together Neil Clisby, Los Angeles Negro heavy, and Tony Galento, of Orange, N. J.

Old Line Five Wins, 27-23, In Debut

William and Mary Is Beaten as Gaylor Leads Scorers.

Maryland U. Leader From Start of Hard-Fought Game.

MARYLAND UNIVERSITY'S basket ball team got off to a flying start in its season's debut last night by trimming a five from the College of William and Mary at the College Park Gym, 27-23. Although the Terrapins gave signs of turning the game into a runaway throughout the first half, leading at intermission, 16-3, the Indians came back strongly in the final twenty minutes of play to throw a scare into the camp of the home team, but Maryland's Five found resistance to withstand the attack and was returned the winner.

The use of the zone defense thoroughly puzzled the visitors throughout the entire first twenty minutes and but one field goal was scored at the expense of the Black and Gold Quintet. Bobby Gaylor, guard, led a sustained attack for Maryland in the fray, scoring four field goals and five free tosses for 13 points, a high score for the night, and his work during the first half accounted for Maryland's large advantage at half-time.

Gaylor, Junior, Is Star.

Gaylor, a junior, dropped in three double-deckers and four foul throws before the half-time whistle blew and his last free toss late in the game aided his team in drawing away from a dangerously close margin. Coming back strong after the rest period, the Indians successfully solved the zone defense which had previously held them at bay and coming with a rush, outscored their opponents until they were but one point behind, 22-21, with but six minutes left to play. That was the nearest they came to a tie, however, as Gaylor's foul increased the Marylanders' slender lead and a beautiful one-hand shot by Radice from the side court gave his team a fairly safe margin of 4 points which it retained until the end.

Scoring but three points less than Gaylor was William and Mary's brilliant performer, Mitchell Mozeleski, who despite the reputation of Silverman, turned out to be the ace of the visitors. Although pressed by Gaylor, there is no doubt but that Mozeleski played the best game of any man on the floor, being here, there and everywhere throughout the melee.

Indians Nearly Tie Score.

With four double-deckers to his credit, Mozeleski almost brought his team on even terms with the home gang, one of his shots putting the Williamsburg Five within that one point of Maryland, but that was the closest to a tie that it came.

Although out but a few days, six of Maryland's gridironers broke into the game, Evans, Chalmers, Rooney, Berger, Radice and May all taking a hand in their team's triumph. Evans materially aided his team with five points, while Rooney and Radice each scored once from the floor.

Maryland.	G	FG	P	W. and M.	G	FG	P
Evans, lf	2	1	5	Silverman, lf	0	0	0
Chalmers, lf	0	0	0	Sauerbrum, lf	3	0	6
Rankin, rf	0	0	0	F. Mozeleski, rf	1	0	2
Cohan, rf	0	0	0	Sykes, rf	0	0	0
Hetzel, c	2	0	4	McMineman, c	0	0	0
Rooney, c	1	0	2	Shaffer, c	0	0	0
Berger, c	0	0	0	Sundim, lg	2	1	5
Heary, lg	0	0	0	M. Mozeleski, lg	4	2	10
Radice, lg	1	1	3	Scully, rg	0	0	0
Rabbitt, lg	0	0	0				
Gaylor, rg	4	5	13	Totals	10	3	23
May, rg	0	0	0				
Totals	10	7	27				

Referee—Neun.

Detroit Club Scene Of Western Open Golf

Chicago, Dec. 13 (A.P.).—Delegates to the Western Golf Association's annual business meeting have voted to award the 1930 W. G. A. open championship tournament to the Indian Wood Club, of Detroit. Officials of the association are expected to approve the award.

The Western amateur and junior tournament will be held in Chicago but the clubs and dates have not been decided.

Leslie S. Gordon, of Chicago, was chosen president of the association, succeeding Robert Cutting.

Second Round Knockout for McLarnin

Goldstein Flattened by Foe's Barrage of Lefts and Rights.

Jewish Boy Is Down for Count of Nine in 1st Round.

By EDWARD J. NEAL.

MADISON SQUARE GARDEN, New York, Dec. 13 (A.P.).—Blue-eyed Jimmy McLarnin, that flaming kid from the West with the dynamite-laden hands and deceptively smiling babyface, crushed temperamental Ruby Goldstein, pride of the Jewish race, tonight with a searing two round knockout that turned 19,000 of the faithful into a howling, raving mob of worshippers.

In a battle that lived up to all the promises of the raucus ballyhoo, the socking Celt from Vancouver packed into the short-lived struggle three minutes and 52 seconds of swift, stunning action that sent the customers reeling from the arena.

Three times in that short time, McLarnin, the cold killer, smashed the hero of the Ghetto to the floor, first for a count of nine in the opening round, again for a nine count at the start of the second session and finally for a toll that could have been a hundred without giving Ruby any opportunity to carry on the hopeless struggle. It was as brilliant and fearful a punching exhibition as this battle-scarred arena has ever seen.

Set Night for Comeback.

Tonight was the night Goldstein had set for his great comeback, his final effort to prove to his countrymen that their faith in his speed, boxing ability and great punching power had not been misplaced. It was to be the trial of fire for the soft-mannered, handsome little chap who looks, acts and thinks more like a poet than gladiator.

Many times in the past the imaginative Ruby, aptly termed the Jewel of the Ghetto, had failed. Sometimes his vivid imagination, bane of a fighting man, sent him into hiding on the nights he should have been answering the clang of the battle gong. Twice fearful knockouts at the hands of Ace Hudkins and Sid Terris forced him to quit the ring, his courage questioned even by his strongest supporters.

But tonight, though beaten senseless, Ruby finally won the faithful with his bravery and gameness under fire. He lost to one of the greatest of modern-day punchers, but in defeat, the worst he has even suffered, he efound his highest praise.

Boxing beautifully, the rejuvenated Ruby, his soft brown eyes gleaming with hope, sped at McLarnin in the first round, shooting straight lefts to Jimmy's head. Some Jimmy took, some he smothered with his gloves, some he dodged with a graceful, almost imperceptible movement that took his jaw a fraction of an inch out of range.

McLarnin Crowds Back.

But always McLarnin, a panther on defense, came crowding back, waiting his chance to spring. Half way through the round Jimmy saw his opening, lashed in with a left hook to the head and drove his right high to Ruby's temple. The Jewel fought back desperately, beginning to totter, but another right to the jaw dropped him for a count of nine. Goldstein came up fighting, but was taking a bad body beating at the bell.

With his gameness about to be put to the final test Ruby did not fail. He dashed out for the second round, sopping wet from the ministration of his seconds. Fighting mad, carrying the fight to a lad who loves to lie back and battle that way. He ripped and tore, smashed his own powerful right to Jimmy's head, belted the Celt with left hooks, and went down like a true fighting man.

Jimmy Has Man Cornered.

Jimmy cornered his man near the ropes in his own corner and the stunning right that finished Terris.

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Duquesne Court Star Hurt in Auto Crash

Pittsburgh, Pa., Dec. 13 (A.P.).—George (Ganzy) Benedict, captain and forward on the Duquesne University Basket Ball Team and a star on this year's football team, was critically injured today in an automobile accident shortly after the squad had returned from a trip to the West. Benedict suffered a severe cut on the face when supposedly he was thrown through the windshield of his car. He lost considerable blood and at a hospital it was said his condition was serious, although he was expected to recover.

CUBS' OUTFIELDER IS OBTAINED FOR $10,000 PURSE TO BATTLE BOASTFUL CHISOX 1ST BASEMAN

BALL PLAYERS TO MEET IN RING

HACK WILSON, of Cubs (left), and ART SHIRES, of White Sox.

Promoter Mullen to Seek Big Arena for 4-Round Bout.

Shires Comments on Bout in January With Yawn.

CHICAGO, Dec. 13 (A.P.).—The battle not of the century, but of the centuries, will take place in Chicago early in January between Charles Arthur (the Great) Shires and Lewis (Hack) Wilson "the Dempsey of the Dugouts."

Promoter Jim Mullen came to terms with Wilson today by telephone to the Chicago Cubs' centerfielder at Martinsburg, W. Va. Mullen promised Wilson $10,000 to meet the great one, and immediately upon receiving acceptance, started arguing on possibilities for moving the four-round battle to a larger arena. The clash promises to become a huge attraction and the White City arena, which will accommodate only 6,000 spectators, would not be large enough to meet the demand. Mullen planned, if it could be arranged, to borrow the Chicago Coliseum or possibly the Chicago Stadium.

Shires already has pronounced himself ready, willing and anxious to meet any and all comers, preferably Gene Tunney.

Shires Confesses Ability to Fight.

Shires is the White Sox first baseman, but he admits to talents of high order in several other sports. His claim to boxing brilliance was born of two ex-officio combats with his erstwhile baseball manager, Lena Blackburne. His one professional ring appearance last Monday night ended in exactly 21 seconds with his 225-pound opponent, Dangerous Dan Daly, of Cleveland, on the floor, counting stars.

"That," said Arthur (Whataman) Shires, after helping his victim from the canvas, "is how I sock when I'm in good humor. I hate to think what'll happen if I get mad."

Hack Wilson, rotund and fragile-ankled, is of more retiring disposition, but he is not without his fight victories. His activity in this line has been recognized by the National League, which upon occasion has fined and suspended him when he became hostile to the peace and dignity of the baseball field.

Wilson Was Willing to Fight Whole Team.

Wilson expressed a willingness to take on the entire Cincinnati Club last summer, and actually did come to blows with Donohoe and Ray Kolp, pitchers. A Chicago milkman, whose conversation from the stands irked Wilson, was another to feel the force of the center fielder's crushing right.

Art (They Don't Get Up) Shires received announcement of the Wilson match with a yawn.

"Just another one of those amateur pugs trying to cash in on my reputation," he said. "I never regarded outfielders as much, anyway. If he lasts one round, which is highly improbable, he won't have to take off weight this summer. I'll knock it off."

Shires meets George Trafton, center of the Chicago Bears Professional Football Team, Monday night. He says it's just a workout. Never in the history of the ring has a newcomer been in such demand as Shy Arthur. Promoter Mullen had 42 challenges the last time he counted, and the telegraph companies were considering making the route to Mullen's office a regular beat.

Convict Among Many Challengers.

Challenges have come from baseball players, house detectives and even from a pentitentiary where a convict became so incensed at Shires' boasting that he announced himself even willing to go straight to get a crack at the Shires chin next "if he'll keep it shut long enough."

Lefty O'Doul, Phillies outfielder, said if Shires fights like he plays first base "he is a set-up for me." The house detective at the hotel where Shires had his final encounter with Lena Blackburne last summer is another who has pleaded with Mullen for a chance to cut the great one down to his size.

So many are the demands for a whack at Mr. Shires that Mullen is

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Ring Chiefs Limit Pay-Off On Bouts Ending in Fouls

NEW YORK, Dec. 13 (A.P.).—The "foul problem," bane of the fight game's existence and chief irritator of boxing commissions, came in for a raking today as the New York State solons plastered an indefinite suspension on Otto Von Porat, Norwegian heavyweight from Chicago, and adopted temporary legislation for the future.

The commission decided that fighters who commit fouls must now toil on a piece-work basis, receiving payment only for the number of rounds that preceded the disqualifying blow. The amount to be paid the offending battler will be decided and disbursed by the commission. More drastic legislation is promised later.

Action Follows Threats.

Such a departure from the common procedure, where the customer usually pays the bill for far less action than expected and the combatants themselves receive full wages, has been threatened by the commission for some time. The low left swing that brought about the disqualification of Von Porat in his bout with Phil Scott at Madison Square Garden Monday night, ended the twelve-round match early in the second round. Under the new rule, Von Porat would have been paid only one-twelfth of his guarantee.

Von Porat's suspension bars him from a bout scheduled with Paulino Uzcudun at the Garden January 3.

Bout at Catchweights Permitted Fields.

Another departure, forecast several weeks ago, came through the commission's sanction of a match at catchweights in Buffalo, December 26, between Jackie Fields, the welterweight champion, and Frankie Schoell, Buffalo middleweight. The fathers ruled that Fields may take this bout if he will also sign to defend his title in New York State within the next six months.

Heretofore the commission always has ruled that champions must defend their titles in every appearance here.

Polish Distance Star Seeks A. A. U. Sanction

New York, Dec. 13 (A.P.).—Stanislaw Petkiewicz, Polish distance runner visiting in the United States, appeared at the offices of the Amateur Athletic Union here today and presented his Polish credentials. He expressed his willingness to comply with all A. A. U. regulations, announcing that he would submit any invitation to a meet for A. A. U. approval before accepting it. The American governing body requires visiting alien athletes to obtain a separate permit for each race in which they participate.

Petkiewicz, who holds all the Polish records from 800 to 10,000 meters and who also has to his credit a triumph over Paavo Nurmi, said he would be ready to run in about three weeks. His best distance is between two and three thousand meters, although he competed in both the 5,000 and the 10,000 at the last Olympic meet in Amsterdam.

New Zealand Track Stars Cancel Invasion

Hamilton, Ont., Dec. 14 (A.P.).—The two-man track invasion of New Zealand, with Percy Williams, Olympic 100 and 200 meter champion, and Jimmy Ball, Canada's greatest quartermiler, has been cancelled. Williams, a student at the University of British Columbia, has been unable to obtain the required leave of absence of three months. The two runners were to leave for New Zealand on Christmas Day.

Williams, in announcing that he could not make the trip, said he would confine his track competition next year to the Canadian championships and the British Empire games.

FIGHT MOVED AHEAD.

Chicago, Dec. 13 (A.P.).—The date of the Bud Taylor-Earl Mastro return bout at the Chicago Stadium again has been moved up and will be held December 27, instead of December 26.

Apaches and Celtics Agree on Player Lists

All's well along the Potomac. The Apache and St. Mary's Celtic elevens will meet in Griffith Stadium Sunday afternoon as scheduled. After calling off the engagement in the heat of differences over player eligibility lists last night, the rival managers, Seymour Hall, of the Apaches, and Charley Corbett, of the Celtics, reached an amicable agreement.

Both managers submitetd their respective lists of eligible players last night after a stormy session, which caused the cancellation of the game for several hours and later ended in mutual concessions and the rescheduling of the much-anticipated battle.

Bill Lytell, coach of the Apaches, has ordered all Little Indian warriors out for the final practice session of the season tonight. All of his men are reported in good shape, including Tom Farrell, clever end, who has been out of action since the Mohawk game with a bruised hip. Harry "Boone" Rice, who has taken care of wing duties for the Indians in past seasons, but who has been out of action until last week, will be seen by local fans for the first time tomorrow, it was announced.

HOLD PIN TOURNAMENT.

The Southwest Branch of the Boys' Club will hold its first bowling tournament starting on Monday. The competition will be divided into three classes, senior, intermediate and junior. Prizes will be awarded the highest scorers.

Rudolph's Unfinished Run Of 111 Sets World's Record

DETROIT, Mich., Dec. 13 (A.P.).—Erwin Rudolph, of Chicago, broke two world's records in the world's championship pocket billiard tournament tonight to defeat Spencer Livsey, of Los Angeles, 125 to 2 in the hole.

Rudolph made a run of 111 balls, knocking down the tournament record of 81, made by Benny Allen in 1919. He also bettered another record by winning a 125-ball match in four innings. The previous record was five attained by several players, including Rudolph.

Tonight's victory gave the Chicago man an impressive lead in the tournament, giving him a score of three won and none lost.

The record run was even greater than the league record of 101, made by Ralph Greenleaf. Higher runs are more easily made in league play than tournament games.

Rudolph's run was unfinished when the winning ball went into the pocket. Play was as follows:

Livsey broke the balls and Rudolph followed with a run of 15. Livsey scratched; Rudolph played safe. Livsey scratched; Rudolph scratched deliberately. Livsey played safe; Rudolph won with an unfinished run of 111.

Rudolph, who held the world's championship at one time, has made a remarkable record in the tournament thus far. He has made 375 balls in 19 innings, while his opponents' total is 63.

A freak of the record-making victory was that it was in the thirteenth game of the tournament, played on Friday, the 13th.

	W.	L.	High run
E. Rudolph	3	0	111
M. Camp	2	1	58
F. Taberski	2	1	26
P. Natalle	2	1	34
R. Greenleaf	1	1	28
O. Lauri	1	2	70
S. Livsey	1	3	32
J. McCann	0	4	41

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LANDIS' 'CHAIN-STORE' BASEBALL WRATH TEMPERED

Czar Is Silent On Evils of System

Benefits to Smaller Leagues Are Many, It Is Shown.

Towns Given Better Baseball at Little Risk of Losses.

By FRANK H. YOUNG.

KENESAW MOUNTAIN LANDIS, high commissioner of baseball, must have learned considerable between the week before the major league baseball meetings were held at New York and the convening date. Before leaving Chattanooga, where the minors met the previous week, Landis announced that he was against "chain store" baseball and intimated that he planned to take drastic action with a view toward stopping it. By the time he reached New York, however, he evidently had a change of heart, for not only was nothing done by him, but the only time he brought up the question was a mild suggestion that hereafter purchases of bush league clubs by major league outfits be made known throughout baseball circles in the form of reports to his office and to the head of the minor league organization.

Landis' particular objection seemed to be that fans in minor league towns resented alien ownership. Perhaps there is something to this objection, but the fact of the matter is that experience has shown that a majority of towns have welcomed a major league connection. The history of the entire minor league network has been one failure after another because local investors found that they not only failed to make a living from their flier in baseball, but too often ended their seasons "in the red."

Even Big Minors On Ragged Edge.

This refers to every class of league. Even the International, American Association, Pacific Coast and Three-Eye have been on the ragged edge of failure more than once. The Association suddenly abreviated its schedule one year because of financial difficulties, while the International was all but out when the Federals made their bid in 1914, even Jack Dunn's Baltimore club being forced to transfer to Richmond in the hope of holding its own financially.

Baseball history shows that the Southern Association is one of the few exceptions of circuits which have not at one time or another been almost forced to the wall. It also shows that the major leagues have been the props on which the little fellows have leaned during most of their lives, as private interests have not been willing to "hold the bag" in support of losing propositions.

Reports from the minor league conclave at Chattanooga two weeks ago are to the effect that more than two dozen bush league clubs had representatives in attendance who sought adoption by major magnates.

Minors Are Assured Better Baseball.

Counter-balancing the possible sentiment of a comparatively small number of home-towners against alien ownership is the fact that, when their club is backed by a major league they are sure of getting better baseball. Promising major league candidates are sent there for development and slipping old-timers, still of star caliber in the minors, are shunted there to finish out their careers.

True, the youngsters are being withdrawn as fast as they show improvement, but this also would be the case under local ownership, for the only way the bush leagues can live is to sell their talent as fast as it is developed.

The fact of the matter is that practically the only clubs hurt by "chain store" ownership are those in major leagues which can't afford to go into the business on a big scale. Clubs like the St. Louis Cardinals, for example, who own nine minor league clubs, have practically 300 players at their beck and call whereas their rivals with a lone interest are allowed to option but eight players. But the proposed plan of increasing this number to fifteen will help much.

Teeth and Tonsils Annoy Braxton.

President Clark Griffith yesterday received a letter from Pitcher Garland Braxton in reply to an ultimatum that he must have his diseased tonsils removed or he will not be offered a 1930 contract. The slim southpaw stated that he has been advised by his dentist that he has several infected teeth and that he is now having these attended to. As soon as this work is completed, Braxton writes, "I will take up with my physician the question of tonsillotomy."

Not having a dictionary handy, the Nat owner is not sure what "tonsillotomy" means but he states that if it means that he thinks it does, Braxton's suggestion to have his teeth fixed first is O. K. with him.

"I had several propositions offered me at the New York meetings," said Griffith upon his return home yesterday, "but none was reasonable and, as far as doing any business there is concerned, the trip was a total loss."

CLUB TEAMS MEET.

Southwest Boys' Club will meet the Northwest Boys' Club 85-pound basket ball team Monday night at 7 o'clock. The Southwest Club wishes to meet any team in the 85 and 115 pound class. Call National 4557.

INVITATION FOR BOYS.

An invitation to all boys between the ages of 8 and 17, of the Southwestern past of Washington to visit the Southwest Boys' Club and get full particulars concerning membership, has been extended by C. M. Fyfe, director of the club.

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WEATHER, CLOUDY. TRACK, FAST.

FIRST RACE—Six furlongs. Purse, $1,000. For maiden 2-year-olds. Start good. Won easily; place, same. Went to post at 2:03. Off at 2:06. Winner, R. McDonald's ch. g. (3), by Ultimatum—Soppe Le Haut. Trained by F. D. Meltzer. Value to winner, $700; second, $175; third, $100; fourth, $25. Time, 0:23 3-5, 0:46 1-5, 1:14 2-5.

Horses	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	Str.	Fin.	Jockeys	Straight
KIND WORDS	115	9	1	31½	11½	1ª	1ª	Serio	$7.15
MONTICELLO	105	11	2	5ª	3ª	21½	2ª	V. Smith	1.80
MILTON MOORE	113	8	10	8ª	7ª	3ª	3h	Garrity	40.50
BLACK DAYS	105	5	8	2h	2ª	3¼	4ª	Cavens	29.15
COREOPSIS	104	2	7	4h	5ª	5ª	5h	Swigert	85.35
LIVERY	115	12	3	6ª	6ª	6ª	6ª	O'Brien	3.45
BOBBY POWERS	105	4	6	1h	4ª	7ª	7ª	R. Huff	3.95
MAE PRICE	102	3	4	7½	8ª	8ª	8ª	M. Rose	27.25
BLACK DANCER	115	1	12	12	12	10ª	9ª	Dell	14.35
RACK	115	6	5	9ª	10ª	11ª	10ª	C. Meyer	16.40
LADY ASSAGAI	112	10	9	11ª	11ª	12	11½	Castle	72.25
KILBY	115	7	11	10½	9ª	9ª	12	Climerak	62.70

Two-dollar mutuels paid—KIND WORDS, $16.30, $7.90, $4.70; MONTICELLO, $2.80, $2.80; MILTON MOORE, $5.40.

KIND WORDS broke fast, rushed to the front, showed good speed, drew out and won easily. MONTICELLO broke in a tangle, was slow to get into his stride, but closed with a rush. MILTON MOORE came from a long way back to land third place. BLACK DAYS had good speed and ran well. LIVERY RAN below best form. BLACK DANCER had no chance from where he got off.

SECOND RACE—Six furlongs. Purse, $1,000; claiming. For 3-year-olds. Start good. Won easily; place, driving. Went to post at 2:30. Off at 2:38. Winner, Mrs. L. M. Holmes' br. c. (3), by Black Toney—Flamette. Trained by L. M. Holmes. Value to winner, $700; second, $175; third, $100; fourth, $25. Time, 0:23 3-5, 0:48 3-5, 1:14 4-5.

Horses	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Jockeys	Straight
BRAGGADOCIO	113	7	6	5h	4ª	2h	1ª	Kellum	$5.60
BLACK PATRICIA	109	8	7	8ª	7ª	5ª	2½	Coates	2.95
THUNDER CALL	116	9	1	1½	1ª	1½	3¼	Hicks	5.90
STRAW VOTE	113	6	3	2ª	3½	6ª	4h	O'Malley	74.60
LITTLE GYP	110	2	4	3ª	2½	4ª	5ª	Landolt	1.10
WOODGAIN	109	2	8	9	9	8ª	6ª	Lasswell	64.25
GLADYS M'CLAIN	105	1	5	7ª	6ª	3h	7ª	Russell	17.15
LUCKY SWEEP	108	5	9	4h	5½	2½	8ª	V. Smith	26.30
FLORA LEVY	110	4	2	6h	8ª	9	9	Whitaker	142.70

Two-dollar mutuels paid—BRAGGADOCIO, $13.20, $3.40, $3.70; BLACK PATRICIA, $3.70, $3.50; THUNDER GIRL, $5.00.

BRAGGADOCIO was rated behind the pace, came to middle of the track in stretch and, closing with a rush, won going away. BLACK PATRICIA broke slow and in a tangle, saved ground all the way and ran a good race. LUCKY SWEEP well up, had no mishaps. LITTLE GYP made a determined bid around turn, but quit badly.

THIRD RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles. Purse, $1,000; claiming. For 3-year-olds and upward; fillies and mares. Start good. Won driving; place, same. Went to post at 3:05. Off at 3:08. Winner, S. G. Sinclair's b m. (5), by The Porter—Siren Maid. Trained by J. G. Brown. Value to winner, $700; second, $175; third, $100; fourth, $25. Time, 0:24 2-5, 0:49 3-5, 1:15 1-5, 1:42 2-5, 1:49 1-5.

Horses	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Jockeys	Straight
FLORENDA	106	9	5	5ª	2½	2ª	1h	Swigert	$2.25
HONEYCO	108	11	4	2ª	1½	1ª	2ª	Palumbo	14.05
ZELMA O'NEAL	107	8	7	7ª	4½	3ª	3ª	Knight	4.90
BRUSH	111	1	1	10ª	10½	4½	4ª	C. Meyer	7.85
SANDY LADY	109	4	12	9ª	6ª	5ª	5ª	Lasswell	2.95
MERIDA	103	2	1	7ª	8ª	7ª	6ª	Russell	16.25
CHARMING LADY	103	9	6	8h	5ª	6½	7½	Martin	17.45
ROYAL RUBY	102	6	8	11½	12	10ª	8ª	Tarmino	47.20
AGITATE	101	7	10	6ª	9ª	9ª	9ª	Serio	5.95
NELLIE BALLOT	102	12	2	1ª	3½	8ª	10ª	Horn	43.70
DUTCH GIRL	103	5	9	12	11	11	V. Smith	62.60
MASTER MAID	103	10	3	6½	10½	Broke down		May	76.20

Two-dollar mutuels paid—FLORENDA, $8.50, $4.40, $3.40; HONEYCO, $14.80, $6.90; ZELMA O'NEAL, $4.20.

FLORENDA, much the best, worked her way up on inside and, saving ground, won going away. HONEYCO had plenty of speed and held on gamely. ZELMA O'NEAL came fast on inside in stretch. BRUSH had a rough trip, but ran good race. NELLIE BALLOT had early speed. MASTER MAID had speed, but broke down and was pulled up at top of stretch.

FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs. Purse, $1,200. For all ages; fillies and mares. Start good. Won driving; place, same. Went to post at 3:33. Off at 3:34½. Winner, C. B. Ramsey's br. f. (2), by Black Toney—Cassidy's Pride. Trained by F. Rink. Value to winner, $850; second, $200; third, $100; fourth, $50. Time, 0:23 1-5, 0:47 3-5, 1:14.

Horses	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	Str.	Fin.	Jockeys	Straight
BY PRODUCT	99	4	3	3ª	2ª	2½	1h	Frye	$4.75
MIX UP	111	2	5	6	4h	3ª	2½	May	1.80
GER. CHAUVELOT	108	3	1	2½	3h	4ª	3ª	Knight	1.30
ELOISE	106	6	6	5½	3ª	1h	4ª	M. Rose	16.45
STUPENDOUS	108	1	4	4½	6	6	5¼	Benham	12.45
WIND FLOWER	108	5	2	1ª	1½	5ª	6	Sandoz	17.15

Two-dollar mutuels paid—BY PRODUCT, $11.50, $6.90, $3.10; MIX UP, $4.50, $2.40; GERMAINE CHAUVELOT, $2.20.

BY PRODUCT, under light weight raced with the pace, came wide in stretch and held on gamely. MIX UP was sharply cut off at far turn, but saved ground and finished fast. GERMAINE CHAUVELOT, well up for half a mile, was bothered somewhat at half-mile pole and closed gamely. ELOISE slipped through on inside around turn, but weakened fast in stretch. WINDFLOWER quit badly after showing speed for half a mile. STUPENDOUS was outrun.

FIFTH RACE—Mile and seventy yards. Purse, $1,000; claiming. For 2-year-olds. Start good. Won easily; place, same. Went to post at 4:00. Off at 4:00½. Winner, F. M. Miller's ch. c. (2), by Palcines—Sweet Mary. Trained by A. Thomas. Value to winner, $700; second, $175; third, $100; fourth, $25. Time, 0:24, 0:49 3-5, 1:15 2-5, 1:40 3-5, 1:45 1-5.

Horses	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Jockeys	Straight
BUD CHARLTON	103	4	1	1ª	1ª	1½	1ª	May	$1.30
LONGUS	108	5	5	4ª	3ª	2½	2ª	O'Brien	2.70
GEN. JACKSON	105	3	2	2ª	2ª	3ª	3ª	Cavens	2.80
DABSTER	103	2	3	5	5	4h	4ª	Arnold	9.85
HERNAN CORTES	105	1	4	3h	4½	4h	5	Keiser	23.25

Two-dollar mutuels paid—BUD CARLTON, $4.60, $2.80, $2.20; LONGUS, $3.30, $2.50; GENERAL JACKSON, $2.20.

BUD CHARLTON broke fast, rushed to the front, was under restraint to top of stretch, where he drew away to win easily. LONGUS broke slowly and trailed field for first three furlongs, moved up fast on inside, but tired suddenly in last furlong. GENERAL JACKSON had speed for six furlongs, then stopped as if short. DABSTER and HERNAN CORTES were both outrun.

SIXTH RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles. Purse, $1,000; claiming. For 3-year-olds and upward. Start bad. Won easily; place, same. Went to post at 4:26. Off at 4:36½. Winner, H. Haymaker's ch. g. (6), by Omar Khayyam—Sombra. Trained by owner. Value to winner, $700; second, $175; third, $100; fourth, $25. Time, 0:25, 0:49 4-5, 1:16, 1:42 3-5, 1:49.

Horses	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Jockeys	Straight
IRAQ	110	9	1	1ª	1ª	1ª	1ª	J. Mann	$3.60
DR. FRED	112	4	2	3h	2ª	2½	2ª	Anderson	7.65
SUN ROMAN	104	5	7	7ª	6½	5½	3h	Russell	7.90
QUIBBLER	111	1	4	4h	4h	3½	4ª	Knight	6.85
COAT O' MAIL	104	10	6	6ª	7ª	7ª	5½	Ciucani	27.40
POP BELL	110	3	5	2ª	2½	4ª	6½	McCoy	40.60
WEST WIND	109	6	9	8ª	8ª	8ª	7½	Horn	2.40
BOURBON	104	3	5	5ª	3h	6ª	8ª	Martin	8.05
PAT CALHOUN	107	7	8	9	9	9	9	Deperini	45.15
COCKRILL	107	2	Left.					Whittaker	12.40

Two-dollar mutuels paid—IRAQ, $9.20, $5.70, $5.10; DOCTOR FRED, $9.10, $7.60; SUN ROMAN, $6.80.

IRAQ, away well, went right to the front, made the pace under restraint and won galloping. DOCTOR FRED moved up very fast around turn and showed a game effort. SUN ROMAN closed a big gap. QUIBBLER ran a good race. COCKRILL was caught in the gate and left. POP BELL quit.

SEVENTH RACE—One and one-eighth miles. Purse, $1,000. For 3-year-olds and upward. Start good. Won easily; place, same. Went to post at 5:02. Off at 5:04. Winner, L. O. Bedwell's b. g. (4), by Cottage—Quaker Maid. Trained by owner. Value to winner, $700; second, $175; third, $100; fourth, $25. Time, 0:25, 0:50 1-5, 1:15 4-5, 1:42 4-5, 1:56.

Horses	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Jockeys	Straight
COTTAGE BOY	111	11	7	7ª	8h	5ª	2ª	Russell	$4.70
PADDY	111	7	2	2ª	2h	1½	1½	C. Meyer	17.20
PORTAL	112	4	8	9ª	10ª	6½	3ª	Kellum	12.60
PUNKIE	116	1	1	4ª	4h	3h	4ª	Knight	1.70
PEEP O	111	8	4	5½	6ª	4h	5ª	Hed	14.10
PRIG	116	6	11	11ª	11ª	7ª	7½	Martin	8.15
NANCY BYRD	109	9	9	10ª	9ª	8½	8½	Ford	19.60
KIYI	116	12	5	3h	5h	2h	9ª	Dyer	11.10
FAIR JIMMIE	109	10	6	6ª	3h	9ª	10ª	Murphy	45.20
FRIGHTFUL	111	3	10	8½	7ª	10ª	11ª	Ray	9.85
OLYMPIC	107	5	3	1ª	1ª	11ª	12½	Richard	143.20
SIR LEONID	111	2	12	12	12	12	12	Cooper	22.65

Two-dollar mutuels paid—COTTAGE BOY, $11.40, $8.50, $5.10; FADDY, $16.80, $9.10; PORTAL, $6.70.

COTTAGE BOY worked his way up and, finishing fast, won going away. FADDY had plenty of speed and ran a good race. PORTAL closed a big gap. PUNKIE had no excuse. PEEP O. went well.

COLLYER'S COMMENT on the SPORT of KINGS

BY BERT R. COLLYER.

ROD RACK.

Well, boys, here is the opening day special down at Keeney Park. As a matter of fact, the commissions have been planted here on this gee for ten days. Halbert will have the leg up and I don't look for the issue to even be close. **FLYING FANTOM** will rule favorite and with "Rod" out of the way, would be well worth stringing with. However, the bet goes as it lays. **MOREYES** as easily holds the balance safe.

In the day's opener, the little bird whispers "Fatty Anderson is going to kill the country on **APT.**" All I can say is if he is able to cop, he will have a fair price. The **WIDENER ENTRY** and **RAIN OR SHINE** rate very highly.

In the closing dash, the wise kale is all for **FAIR CLASS,** with a small commission on **NAT EVENS.** The latter has been working extra well. Tabbings is the correct word.

The **THREE D'S ENTRY** is a stand out in the fourth and stellar attraction down at Jefferson Park this afternoon. This trick, **ZACAWEISTA,** is probably the best sprinter quartered at this track. You have the answer in your lily white duke. The balance of the field is fairly well bunched.

This way rigged and, all things considered, I look for **HARPOON** to come home on the chin strap. Dutch has his horses on razor edge. **SCOTLAND,** whose last effort goes for the end book, is another to be dragged forth from the old vat. The Bryson money showed in Washington overnight.

BLAMELESS, which is named in the third, has a full six-point call over this band of bow wows. This is a fair sort of hide and has held his speed well.

GALAHAD, which was our special one week ago, is again taken to deliver Sunday money. This is easily the best bet of the day. Yes, yes, I know all about the **THREE D'S** entry; it will help our price.

Only one horse in the closing spasm, **FRANK HAWLEY.** He should tin can and I do not mean maybe. More anon.

JEFFERSON PARK.

1—Harpoon, Droll, Torcher.
2—Scotland, Golden Volt, Red Cliffe.
3—Blameless, Justina, Theo Rochester.
4—Three D's entry, Patricia Marian, Uncommon Gold.
5—Galahad, Raucona, Three D's entry.
6—Marlboro, Stage Struck, Essie.
7—Frank Hawley, La Paloma, Tempter.
Best—Blameless.

KEENEY PARK.

1—Apt, Widener entry, Rain or Shine.
2—Nicholson, The Tartar, Black Watch.
3—Blade, Senador Vasques Bello, Dragon.
4—Rod Rack, Flying Fantom, Prince Toy.
5—Sandy Ford, Sutro entry, Dunmore.
6—Fair Class, Nat Evens, Black Bart.
Best—Nicholson.
Most probable winner—Blameless.
Collyer's system horse—Frank Hawley.
Best parlay—Frank Hawley, Rod Rack, Galahad, to place.

HAVANA.

1—Crash, Stylish Mack, Privately.
2—Alight, Ecoma, Al Livingston.
3—Lucky Drift, Lassa, Theo Fay.
4—Dusky Maiden, Temps d'Amour, Western Princess.
5—Gardner Deer, Florinassa, Tommy Lad.
6—Crossword, Shasta Belle, Long Joe.
7—Venezuela, Lactarius, Seventeen Sixty, Sixty.
Best—Dusky Maiden.

Arlington Prep Grid Team to Meet Rivals

Manager Deuterman, of the Arlington Prep Eleven has scheduled a game with the Alexandria All-Stars at 2:30 o'clock on the Arlington field.

The All-Star combination includes regulars with the Alexandria Iroquois, who have disbanded. Reds Neuman, Hamilton, Danell and Franny are among the outstanding performers. Arlington Preps will have Jerry Augustine, Bob Bailey, Eddie Goldblock.

WANT 130-POUND FOES.

O'Brien Court Team is seeking games with teams in the 130-pound class having their own gyms. Call Manager Koontz at Adams 2883.

ROBINS SEND BALLOU TO MINORS

Few Trades Made at Annual Meeting of Majors.

By BRIAN BELL.

NEW YORK, Dec. 13 (A.P.).—As echoes of the departing footsteps of major league baseball men died away, after three loquacious but unfruitful days in New York, followers of the game found themselves in an attitude of watchful waiting for news of further player shake-ups for the 1930 season.

Trading of playing talent was at a minimum during the meetings of the club owners, but fragments of the conversational marathon suggested there may be some tidings later of changes in uniforms for some well-known players. Brooklyn today took time out in its civil war long enough to send a battery to the minors, transferring Win Ballou, a pitcher, to Los Angeles, and Butch Henline, catcher, to Toledo.

Stories of a two-year armistice between the Brooklyn front office and the bench persisted, but no sign of a white flag could be seen at any part of Ebbets Field.

Agreement at Brooklyn Possible.

As baseball men talked of a possible agreement between the warring factions of the club, represented by Steve McKeever on one side and Wilbert Robinson on the other, three-fourths of the "Big Four" directorate was out of New York, President-Manager Robinson, tarrying briefly at Baltimore on his way to his Dover Hall, Ga., plantation; Secretary Joseph A. Gilleaudeau stopping in Boston and Frank B. York, director-attorney, "out of town." York has been mentioned as president with "Uncle Robby" continuing as manager. McKeever is vice president.

Some baseball trades may have been consummated during the New York meetings, with the news withheld for the time being. Clark Griffith, president of the Washington Club, said he had no players for trade or sale, but the St. Louis Browns thought he was jesting and suggested several combinations of players available for the release of Goose Goslin, who is a far better hitter than indicated by his 1929 batting average of .286. He led the American League in 1928.

Shawkey in Receptive Mood.

Bob Shawkey, new manager of the New York Yankees, was in a receptive trading mood during the conference, but he was not particularly interested in the conversations he heard.

"I do not recall that anyone offered me a single player who would help the Yankees," said Bob, the Gob. "The trading material our rivals talked of consisted of players who have yet to be proven."

Before leaving for West Palm Beach, Dan Howley, Cincinnati pilot, confessed that his prospects for trading were gloomy. "I could not get excited over anybody offered us here," he said. "I talked to some other National League managers, but I do not believe they were listening."

John J. McGraw will leave soon for his annual vacation in Cuba, but he may do something about the Giants before he boards ship.

Bob Quinn, president of the Boston Red Sox, probably will have an announcement to make about the manager of his team soon after his return to his home base. Bill Carrigan, who has piloted the hapless Sox for three years, is said to have grown weary and probably will retire for the second time. Rumor named Heinie Wagner, veteran infielder, who has been Carrigan's assistant, as the probable heir apparent.

KEENEY PARK ENTRIES.

(Associated Press.)

FIRST RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $800; for 2-year-olds.

1	Partisan	106	6 Rain or Shine 106
2	Full Cloud	107	7 Vagrant 100
3	Col. Crump	103	8 Apt 103
4	Violin	103	9 Blue Canopy 103
5	Chrysalid	103	
	G. D. Widener entry.		

SECOND RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $800; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

1	Nealon Kay	114	7 Judge Schul'an 109
2	Domesticated	109	8 *Walter R. 104
3	The Tartar	112	9 Sun Bright 112
4	Shaktup	110	10 Black Watch 117
5	*Virmi	109	11 Scott 103
6	Stephanus	116	12 Nicholson 114
	Also eligible—		
13	Mordrum	104	16 *Sturdy 107
14	*Boris	110	17 The Okay 107
15	Lasindra	101	18 Col. Drage 112

THIRD RACE—One mile; purse, $800; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

1	Confidential	109	7 *North Breeze 106
2	Alazer	112	8 Dragon 118
3	Jasonetti	111	9 Sen. Bello 114
4	Jack Biener	118	10 *Anaconda 109
5	Angelena	107	11 Bidable 107
6	*Spurrier	103	12 *Blade 107
	Also eligible—		
13	Ood Bird	118	

FOURTH RACE—Five and one-half furlongs; purse, $800; claiming; for 2-year-olds.

1	Prince Toy	116	7 Itso 108
2	Go Between	108	8 Chero's Ridge 105
3	Leller Bunny	105	9 Prin. Carolyn 107
4	Flying Fantom	117	10 Spanish Jack 108
5	Alma Clarence	105	11 *Salista 106
6	*Guilder	105	12 Wacket 116
	Also eligible—		
13	Moreyes	112	16 *Betty Ann 100
14	Wave Top	109	17 *En Route 103
15	*Rodrack	111	18 Miss Ella 105

FIFTH RACE—One mile; purse, $1,200; the St. Augustine Merchants' handicap; for 3-year-olds and upward.

1	Sandy Ford	109	6 Golden Auburn 110
2	Islam	112	7 Nearby 104
3	Sun Friar	106	8 Rol Confidence 104
4	Dunmore	115	9 †Greenock 122
5	Mickey D.	107	
	A. Sutro entry.		
	†Levata and Cochran entry.		

SIXTH RACE—One and one-eighth miles; purse, $800; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

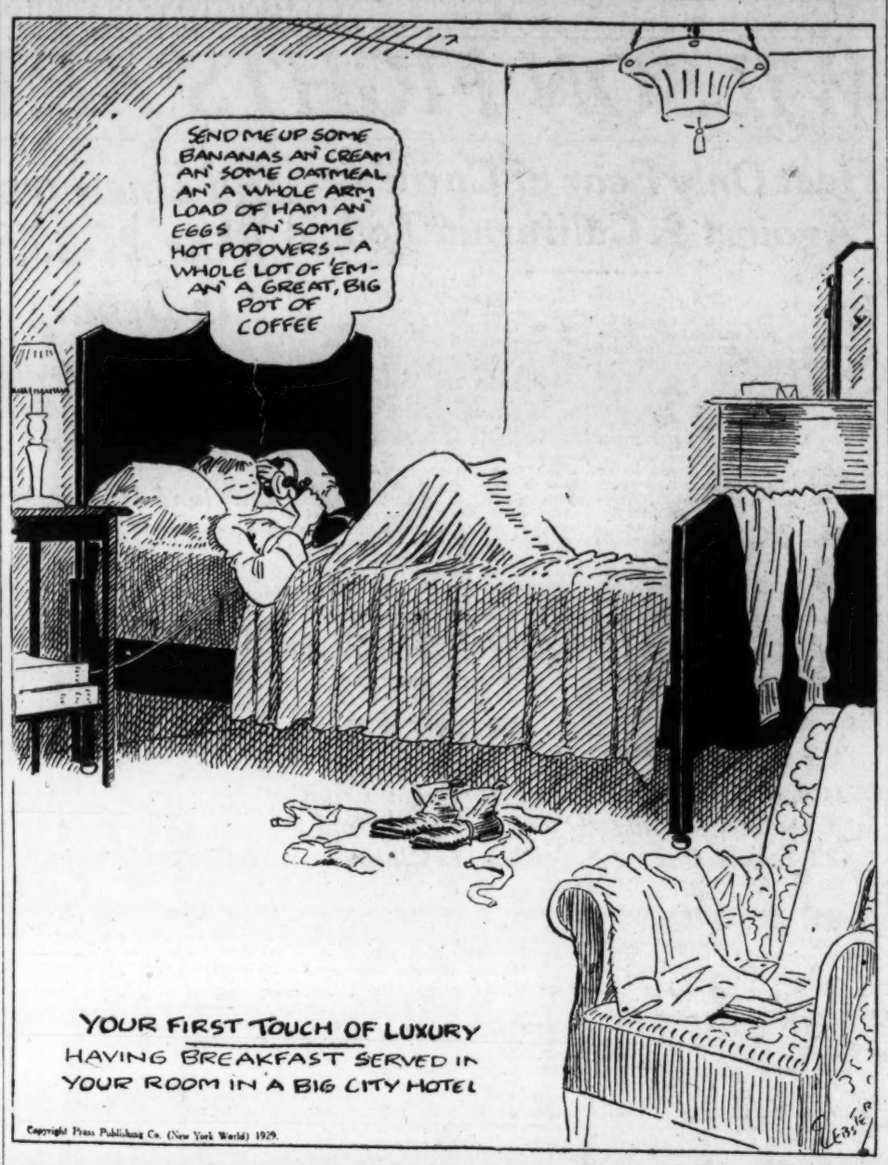
1	Black Bart	111	7 Bill McCabe 109
2	Fair Class	114	8 Catlettsburg 108
3	Thymon	109	9 Leonardeau 114
4	Marydale	111	10 Besom 109
5	Parole II	114	11 Elizabeth S. 100
6	Billie Leonard	108	12 Lancer 111
	Also eligible—		
13	Beaumont	109	14 Nat Evens 109
	*Apprentice allowance claimed.		

Weather, cloudy; track, fast.

SEEK GAME TOMORROW.

Aztec 105-pound gridironers would like to arrange a game with some team in its class to be played tomorrow at 1 o'clock as a preliminary to the St. Stephens-Aztec annual game. Call Cleveland 6879 after 12 o'clock for arrangements.

The Thrill That Comes Once in a Lifetime—By H. W. Webster



Northerns and Palace Will Meet for Title

The Northern Preps will meet the Palace A. C. for the 135-pound independent football championship of the city at Seat Pleasant tomorrow at 2:30 o'clock. McClure, Wondrack and Edwards will officiate in the game.

Neither team has been defeated this year, although each has engaged in two ties.

CORINTHIANS START.

Opening their season last night, the Corinthian Basketers had their hands full in disposing of the Meridians on the Peck Memorial Gym floor, 17 to 16. Coach Newman used all of his candidates. The Corinthians led, 11 to 7 at the half, and were intended to save that lead in the second half.

Corinthians.	G	FG	P	Meridians.	G	FG	P
Newell,f.	1	3	0	Scaffide,f.	0	1	2
Weitzman,lf.	2	0	4	Terrill,rf.	2	0	2
Chenewith,rf.	1	0	2	Jarvis,c.	2	1	5
Whitely,rf.	0	1	1	Neri,lg.	3	0	6
Raub,c	1	1	2	Kreis,rg.	1	0	0
Achterkir'n,c.	0	2	2	Beahm,rg.	0	0	2
Milwitt,lg.	0	0	0				
Warren,lg.	0	0	0	Totals.	7	2	16
Davis,rg.	0	0	0				
Dew,rg.	0	0	0				
Hays,rg.	1	0	2				
Totals.	6	5	17				

Foul shots attempted—Cockrell, Whitely (2), Raub, Weitzman (2), Achterkirchen (2), Scafide (3), Jarvis, Neri (3), Kreis.

HAVANA ENTRIES.

(Associated Press.)

FIRST RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $1,000; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

1	Brigand	109	9 *Wrackeen 107
2	Dolly Side	105	10 Parvenu 112
3	*Carloman	110	11 *Privately 110
4	*Straight Eight	107	12 P'nsylvania II. 107
5	Crash	112	13 *Pad. Flaherty 107
6	Torch Lady	106	14 Broadmoor 113
7	Checkmate	109	15 *Pan 107
8	Stylish Mack	109	16 Eugene S. 115

SECOND RACE—Five and one-half furlongs; purse, $1,000; claiming; for 2-year-olds.

1	Don Cru	110	10 *Wealthy Ann 102
2	Smithers	115	11 Roughneck 110
3	Breakaway	112	12 *Librarian 105
4	John Miller	110	13 *Alight 112
5	Lucky Milt	110	14 Ecoma 112
6	*Al Livingston	105	15 Merit 110
7	Lily Wrack	102	16 David 107
8	Admiral Seth	117	17 Battle 107
9	*Ragwin	105	18 Will Rain 107

THIRD RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $1,000; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

1	*Imperator	107	10 Munning 115
2	Lassa	114	11 *Shorty O. 107
3	Administrator	109	12 *Mer. Windsor 104
4	Good Soldier	115	13 *Theo Fay 100
5	*Lucky Drift	107	14 Dinneford 109
6	*Colle Queen	104	15 Royal Spring 112
7	*Teal	107	16 *Lou Mack 104
8	Rembarg	111	17 *Sun Rock 107
9	*Balum	105	

FOURTH RACE—Five and one-half furlongs; purse, $1,000; the Malecon; allowances; for 2-year-olds.

1	Dusky Maiden	107	4 St. Jim 110
2	West. Princess	107	5 Delmonico 108
3	Total	110	6 Tempe d'Amour 110

FIFTH RACE—Five and one-half furlongs; purse, $1,000; the Prado; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

1	Gardner Derr	112	6 *Patsy H. 107
2	Reichburn	112	7 *Det. Bowman 104
3	*Timekeeper	110	8 Cuevas 115
4	Voshell	115	9 *Paulina L. 104
5	Florinassa	108	10 Tommy Lad 112

SIXTH RACE—One mile and 50 yards; purse, $1,000; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

1	Campanella	105	5 Venezuela 108
2	Nonstop	108	6 Seventeen Sixty 113
3	Ben Bolt II	113	7 *Anne 103
4	Lactarius	113	8 Salutation 113

*Apprentice allowance claimed.
Weather, clear; track, fast.

DEFEAT SOUTHERN PREPS.

The Immaculate Conception basketers defeated the Southern Preps, 27 to 11. The teamwork and passing of the winners was the outstanding feature. Fitzgerald played best for the Preps.

Im. Concep.	G	FG	P	South. Preps.	G	FG	P
McCarthy,lf.	2	0	4	Fitzgerald,lf.	1	3	5
Gessford,lf.	1	0	2	Perkins,rf.	0	0	0
Stanley,rf.	8	1	17	Mulcare,c.	0	0	0
Smith,c.	2	0	4	Mills,rg.	0	0	0
Raymond,lg.	0	0	0	Curtis,lg.	0	0	0
Enright,rg.	0	0	0	Wells,rg.	2	0	4
Simone,rg.	0	0	0

EASTERN FIVE RALLIES TO DEFEAT EMERSON, 34-28

Scholastics Trail, 13-12, At Half

Lincoln Park Tossers Show Improvement in Teamwork.

Fineran, 86-Pounder, Makes 5 Baskets for Eastern.

AFTER being pressed to the limit all the way, Eastern High School's Court Team suddenly got "hot" in the last three minutes of play yesterday at the Lincoln Park Gymnasium and, ringing up three baskets in a row, stepped out to a 6-point lead which it managed to hold to the end to down Emerson Institute's husky tossers, 34-28.

Previous to that late rally of the Guyon-coached aggregation, the battle for points had been stubbornly waged, with neither team being able to boast of more than a 4-point margin at any stage of the game. For the most part the two teams battled for baskets, with the ball alternating between the two nets throughout the fray. After getting away to a 4-point lead, Emerson was forced to see the Eastern Five soon tie the score, and from then on it was nip and tuck. At half time Emerson was in the van, 13-12, by virtue of Forney's double-decker just before the whistle blew.

Notwithstanding the brilliant attack of the Eastern Team, which brought it its first victory of the season, by far the most outstanding feature of the game lay in the performance of one Kenny Fineran, 86 pounds of greased lighning, for the Light Blue and White. The feats of the little Eastern midget had the fans standing in their chairs throughout the entire first half; and when he left the game, exhausted by his efforts, Coach (Chief) Guyon was seen wearing a smile that wouldn't come off.

Fineran in Star Role.

All that Fineran did was to score five baskets in the first eighteen minutes of play to give his team 10 of the 12 points, of which it boasted at half-time. Running absolutely away from his bigger opponents on the Prep five, the human half-pint could not be stopped, sometimes eluding as many as three Emerson players on his sprint to the basket. The way that Fineran got to the basket seemed at times uncanny, and without him, the Eastern team would have lost throughout the first twenty minutes of play.

Starting his "pony" team, Guyon put on the floor a fast-stepping but extremely light aggregation, but one which was more able to hold its own against the bigger lads from Emerson. With Danny Kessler at the other forward post, Lieb at center, and Bucca and Zola at guards, the Lincoln Parkers seemed to have the makings of a first-class team, but to Guyon it was only his "second-stringers." Without a doubt these scrubs would do credit to any high school.

Shock Troops Show Form.

However, at the start of the second half the Eastern "shock troops" were sent in and it was not long before they demonstrated their ability. With Capt. Tommy Ryan and "Barney" Kane showing the way, the Eastern crowd developed a sure scoring punch with both men dropping the ball in from all angles of the court. Noonan also took a hand in the scoring with a trio of goals. The only discouraging feature of the game from an Eastern standpoint was the failure of that team to make good on even one of its half-dozen free foul shots.

Forney, elongated center of the losers, did al' he could to stem the tide of defeat with no less than four double-deckers, some of them bordering on the sensational, but all in vain. Scanlon matched his teammate with another quartet of field goals, while "Jakie" Lewis, erstwhile Business star, made one less.

Eastern.	G	FG	P	Emerson.	G	FG	P
Fineran,lf	5	0	10	Albert,lf	0	0	0
Ryan,lf	2	0	4	Scanlon,lf	4	0	8
Kessler,rf	3	0	6	Lewis,rf	3	0	6
Kane,rf	3	0	6	Kelso,rf	1	0	2
Lieb,c	0	0	0	Forney,c	4	0	8
Noonan,c	3	0	6	Cabell,lg	1	0	2
Bucca,lg	1	0	2	Davidson,lg	0	0	0
Robey,lg	2	0	4	West,rg	0	1	1
Zola,rg	0	0	0				
Shirley,rg	1	0	2	Totals	13	2	28
McCullough,rg	0	0	0				
Totals	17	0	34				

Referee—Caruso.

In meeting the Hilltop yearlings, Eastern will be up against the team which forced Central to the limit last Saturday night before bowing, 28 to 25, in two overtime periods. The freshmen, no doubt, will be out to even their score with the high school teams by taking revenge on the Lincoln Parkers, but Coach Guyon promises to have his charges ready. In Capt. Jimmy Ryan and Barney Kane, forwards; Bill Noonan, center, and Joe Robey and Ralph Bucca, guards, the "chief" has the make-up of a regular five, while no less than half a dozen reserves of almost equal ability will be on the bench ready to jump into the fray.

McCullough Promising at Eastern.

Among the more promising of the rest are Ben McCullough, former forward and guard on last year's team, and Danny Kessler and Kenny Finneran, half-pint forwards. While McCullough has made his mark in high school athletics, Kessler and Finneran are two youngsters taking their first crack at scholastic competition. But from the form they have shown in daily workouts, Guyon can expect much valuable service from the pair. Kessler, by the way, is the "kid" brother of Bruce and Gordon, two high school all-round stars of the past, who later made their mark in college circles. Danny, however, is following more closely in the footsteps of Bruce, who attended Eastern, with Gordon going to Tech for his high school work.

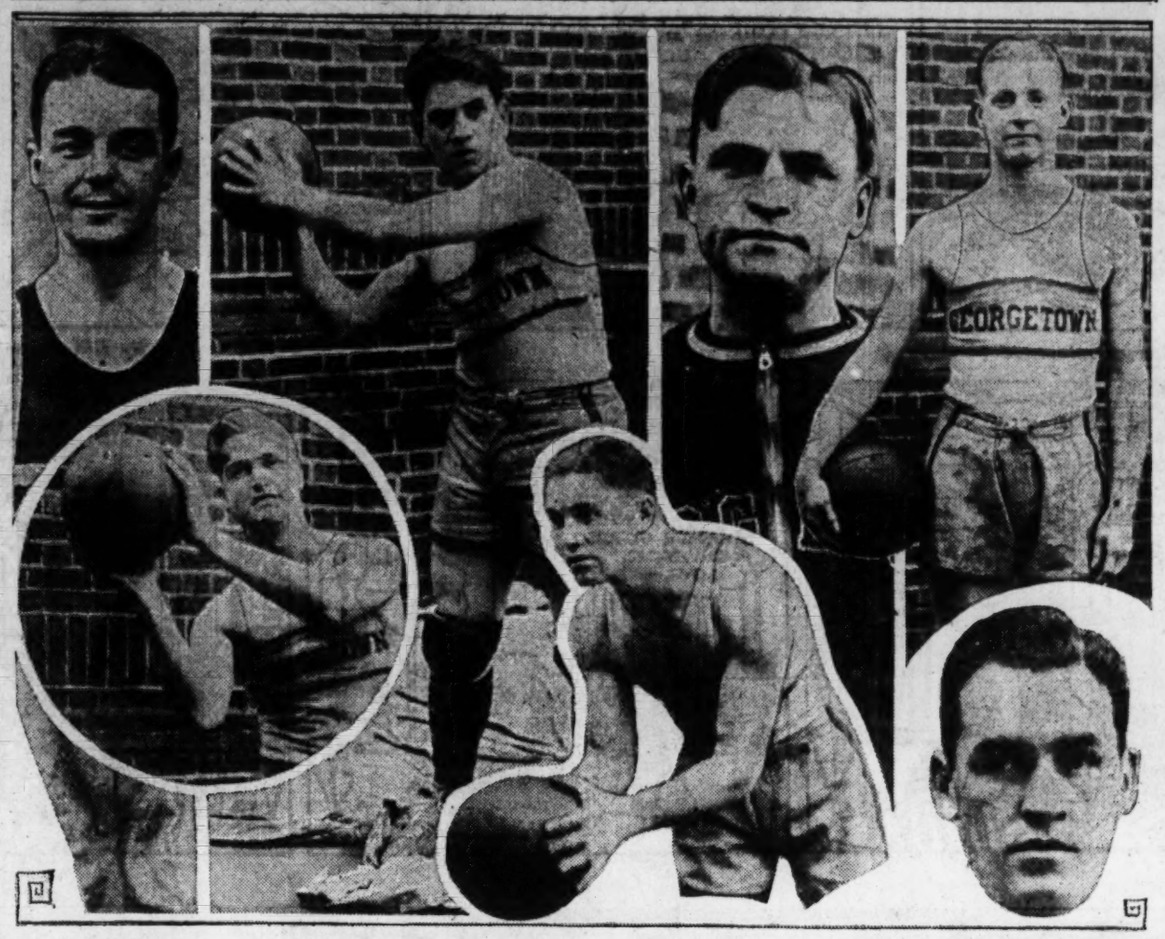
Neither of the midgets stands over 5 feet 5, while Finneran tips the scales at only 86 pounds. Kessler is more solidly built, but at that, only 120 pounds grace his miniature stature. It might not prove surprising were this pair to be named the "weightless whirlwinds" before the season is over, both possessing an unusual amount of speed for lads of their age.

Brown U. Captains Named in Two Sports

Providence, R. I., Dec. 13.—Arthur B. Schweikart and Salvatore di Iorio, both of Providence, were elected captains of the 1930 Brown soccer and cross-country teams, respectively.

Both have been members of their teams for two years and Di Iorio led his team in points this fall with first places in the Wesleyan and Williams meets.

GEORGETOWN'S VETERAN VARSITY BASKET BALL TEAM



William Forsythe, Post Staff Photographer.

Top, left to right—Mesmer, Capt. McCarthy, Coach Bill Dudack, Meenan. Below—Dillon, Shea, Levey. Of the group, only Levey did not perform with last year's varsity quintet.

BOXING TEAM AT CAROLINA IN NEED

4 of Last Year's Title Holders Return; 3 Gaps in Line-Up.

Special to The Washington Post.

CHAPEL HILL, N. C., Dec. 13.—With a Southern crown to defend, a North Carolina boxing squad of 35, that shows four letter men back from last year's champions, is driving away in daily practice to carry on the fine Tarheel ring record.

Preliminary announcement of schedule lists eight hard meets, one an intersectional test with an outstanding Eastern university.

Coach Crayton Rowe has three big gaps in his line-up, and is striving hard to whip his squad into fair shape before the holidays.

Capt. Archie Allen, a Southern champion last year, is back to take care of the 145-pound weight.

Loss of Vaughn and Davis Is Blow.

Harry Sheffield, Noah Goodridge and John Warren, all of whom had fine records and went far in last year's tournament, are back to fill the 125, 135 and 175 pound berths.

Even Vaughn and Obie Davis were due to return for the 115 and 160 pound berths and give the Tarheels a veteran team except for the heavy berth.

Both boys dropped out of college at the last minute and now Coach Rowe has three big vacancies.

Bill Koenig, football star, who boxed his freshman year, is coming out for the heavyweight post, but so far there isn't an outstanding bantam in the camp.

Avery, Smathers and Rosenfeldt are all showing well in the 160-pound class, but it looks as if the Tarheels will have to go quite a while before finding a bantam who could match the speedy, hard-hitting Evan Vaughn.

A number of other candidates are showing no little promise in the daily practice sessions and bid fair to give the veterans some keen competition for their posts.

Hoke Webb, who boxed in several meets last year, is one of these, in the 145-pound class.

Several up from last year's fine freshman team are also looking good—Jack Farris, 145 pounds, and Cohen, Gray and Gatlin in the featherweight class, being outstanding.

Five Virginia Grid Foes For Generals in 1930

Special to The Washington Post.

Lexington, Va., Dec. 13.—Five Virginia opponents are found on the complete Washington and Lee 1930 grid card of ten games, as announced by R. A. Smith, director of athletics. Three of the eight teams named as scheduled ten days ago were from the Old Dominion and the addition of Randolph-Macon, to be played here September 20 and of Hampden-Sidney, to be met probably in Lynchburg, September 27, makes the State opposition take up half of the Generals' schedule, the others being Richmond, Virginia Tech and University of Virginia.

The complete card for Gene Oberst's charges is now definite as follows:

September 20, Randolph-Macon, here; 27, Hampden-Sidney, Lynchburg.
October 4, Richmond, at Richmond; 11, West Virginia, at Charleston; 18, Kentucky, at Lexington, Ky.; 25, St. John's (Annapolis), here.
November 1, V. P. I., here; 8, Maryland, here or at College Park, Md.; 15, Virginia, at Charlottesville; 27, Duke, at Durham, N. C.

M'LEAN A. C. DRILLS.

There will be a meeting and practice of the McLean A. C. Basket Ball Team tonight in the McLean High School, in preparation for their game with the Fredericksburg Collegians Tuesday night. Although seriously handicapped by the loss of their star center, Besley, who in a recent game dislocated his kneecap, the McLean Team expects to make a creditable showing against the strong Collegian Team.

The following players will report for practice tonight at 8 o'clock: Carper, Thayer, Young, Palmer, Hileman, Walters and Besley.

Unlimited teams looking for games, call Manager Don Funk at Metropolitan 6612 between 5 and 6.

Lafayette Lists Colgate On Grid Schedule for 1930

Bucknell and Manhattan Dropped, With Upsula and St. Thomas Added. 24 Varsity Players Awarded Football Letters.

Special to The Washington Post.

EASTON, Pa., Dec. 13.—The Lafayette College football schedule was announced by D. LeRoy Reeves, graduate manager of athletics, at the annual football banquet at the Pomfret Club in Easton tonight.

The schedule follows: Sept. 27, St. Thomas, at Easton; Oct. 4, Muhlenburg, at Easton; 11, Colgate, at Hamilton, N. Y.; 18, Penn State, at Easton; 25, W. and J. (place undecided); Nov. 1, Upsula, at Easton; 8, Rutgers, at New Brunswick; 15, Temple, at Philadelphia; 22, Lehigh, at Easton.

The substitution of Colgate for Bucknell is the most important change from this season's card, the other two being the replacing of Manhattan by Upsula and the addition of St. Thomas as a starter.

Twenty-four varsity letters were given out at the banquet, and of the men receiving them only six had previously won the "L." The letter men are Sherwood (captain), Bobinski, Woodin, Tellier, McKean, Rothenberg, Cook, Ellicott, Edraney, Etter, Fuehrer, Liske, Mundy, Reuter, Solomon, Thompson, Sullivan, Vanderbeck, Vanderbush, Walls, Wilcox, Zabriskie, Fischer and Gourley (manager). Letters were awarded to men who played in any six out of the eight games scheduled or who played in any three of the four games with Lehigh, Rutgers, Penn State and W. and J.

The football banquet was attended by 75 guests, with Capt. Sherwood acting as toastmaster. The principal address of the evening was given by Lew Young, former coach and now assistant to the chairman of the council on athletics at the University of Pennsylvania. Other short talks were given by President William Mather Lewis, Judge Edward J. Fox, president of the board of trustees; Thomas E. Fisher, trustee of the college; G. Herbert McCracken, head coach, and Prof. D. A. Hatch.

Return of Mutzel to Ring Bolsters Bucknell's Hopes

Star Boxer, Hurt in Football Game, to Be Ready for Bouts Shortly. Basket Ball Prospects Appear Bright.

LEWISBURG, Pa., Dec. 13.—Lou Mutzel, prominent in football and boxing at Bucknell, will be able to enter the squared arena after the Christmas vacation period, despite a broken bone in his hand, it was stated here today at the athletic offices.

The Lancaster yuoth was injured in the Fordham game, and an X-ray examination showed that a small bone in his hand was broken. There was no special worry about the damage the injury would do to Bucknell in the closing football game against Dickinson, but immediately boxing fans were concerned about what it would do to their champion light-heavyweight in the strenuous fistic campaign.

Early announcements indicated that Mutzel would be lost to the boxing team, but John Plant, director of physical education, stated today that Mutzel will be available before the season progresses far, and that if the injury continues to heal as well and as rapidly as at the present time, Mutzel will have as strong a hand as ever.

Boxing One of Newer Sports At Bucknell.

Boxing is one of the newer varsity sports at Bucknell, having been introduced since the advent of Plant as director of physical education, but it already rivals basket ball for popularity in the winter, and in the last two seasons intercollegiate schedules have been carried. The 1930 list of matches will be announced within a few days.

With such basket ball stars as Arch Seiler, Ted Mitchell, Louis Woodring, and Bernard Klosterman missing on account of graduation, Coach John Plant is setting out to mold a new floor five.

Plant opened his basket ball coaching career at Bucknell in the winter of 1927, and the four men who were graduated last June, and the present captain, Welland Wadsworth, and Stan McCaskey, his first captain, have been the mainstays ever since. Plant had demonstrated at Peddie Institute that he could build championship teams, and in his first year here, with sophomore material, he built a team that among other things defeated a crack Temple quint on its own floor.

Playing a schedule of the leading teams in Pennsylvania, and in the East, the Bucknell quints have won almost four-fifths of their games during Plant's regime as coach, and every year approximately two-thirds of the games are played on foreign floors.

Good Basket Ball Team Is Looked For.

Because of his success in building teams in the past, Plant is expected to give Bucknell another good court record, but no one anticipates the splendid results of the last three years. Capt. Wadsworth is the only regular of last winter who is available, but Wilbur Ammerman, Frank "Tony" Kostos, and Norman Ross were good enough to break into many games a year ago and are expected to show even better in the hard campaign ahead. Several men on the successful freshmen team Mal Musser developed last season are expected to give the varsity plenty of material.

Cadet Chevrons Won By Cagle and Murrell

Special to The Washington Post.

West Point, N. Y., Dec. 13.—In orders just issued by Maj. Gen. William R. Smith, superintendent of the United States Military Academy, a number of prominent athletes, including Christian K. Cagle and John H. Murrel, were appointed officers and noncommissioned officers in the Corps of Cadets. Gen. Smith said that selections were competitive and based on a merit roll with the following components: Scholarship, 20 per cent; drill, 15 per cent; leadership, 15 per cent; bearing and appearance, 15 per cent; athletics, 10 per cent; activities, 5 per cent, and lack of demerits, 20 per cent. Under regulations only first classmen are eligible to be captains, lieutenants and sergeants.

Cagle was appointed a lieutenant and will command the first platoon of Company L, while Murrel is now a cadet captain and commands Company I.

The regimental commander and the three battalion commanders have all won their As. R. P. Swofford, jr., the first captain, won his letter in gymnastics, as did W. A. Carter, commanding the First Battalion. R. C. Hutchinson and C. N. Piper, the other battalion commanders, have letters in football.

In addition to Cagle, H. C. Gibner, jr., right half back; A. W. Stuart, left half back, and E. A. Kenny, right end, are designated as lieutenants in Gen. Smith's order. Football men appointed sergeants are R. J. O'Keefe, half back; Birrel Walsh, guard, and F. G. Crabb, right end.

Mehler, Ex-Central Player, Wins on Mat

Special to The Washington Post.

Lexington, Va., Dec. 13.—Washington and Lee freshmen mat team tonight defeated William and Mary frosh, 36 to 0, winning every bout. Every victory except two for Washington and Lee was won by falls, the other two going by time decisions. George Mehler, former Washington Central High student, won his match against Murphy, William and Mary's wrestling team, winning time decision in 9 minutes.

115-pound class—Evans (W. and L.), threw Beall in 58 seconds.
125-pound class—Banks (W. and L.), threw Williams in 7:11.
135-pound class—Atkinson (W. and L.), threw Savage in 9:22.
145-pound class—Thomas (W. and L.), threw Calhoun in 2:40.
155-pound class—Mehler (W. and L.), won time decision from Murphy in 9 minutes.
165-pound class—Vanek (W. and L.), threw Mitchell in 1:44.
175-pound class—Wofford (W. and L.), threw McLowohen in 1:45.
Heavyweight—Dennison (W. and L.), threw Hines in 9:20.
Final score—W. and L., 36; William and Mary, 0.
Referee—Hesmer (V. M. I.).

VARSITY.

115-pound class—Nelson (W. and L.), threw Vaughan in 7:05.
125-pound class—Capt. Kaplan (W. and L.), threw Cuddihy in 6:15.
135-pound class—Marshall (W. and L.), threw Thornett in 1:55.
145-pound class—Belser (W. and L.), threw Wright in 2:50.
155-pound class—M. Mathis (W. and L.), gained time decision over Grover in 7:40.
165-pound class—Hall (W. and L.), threw Potterfield in 3:11.
175-pound class—Mitchell (W. and L.), threw Poole in 3:35.
Unlimited class—Douglass (W. and M.), gained time decision over Tonsmiere of 5:24.

Reggie Rawlings Gains Unconditional Release

Martinsburg, W. Va., Dec. 14.—Reggie Rawlings, who has taken part in more class D league baseball games than any other athlete in the country, having played in the Blue Ridge loop, pioneer of the class, since it was organized in 1915, has secured his unconditional release from Hagerstown, with whom he played in 1923, and is a free agent, he stated at his home here today.

Rawlings came to Martinsburg from the sandlots of Washington and starred in the outfield here until going to Hagerstown last year to play under Mickey Kelliher, a boyhood friend of his in the Capital City.

The veteran has taken part in almost 1,300 Blue Ridge League games and has pounded out more than 2,000 hits. Several seasons he was the league's leading hitter as well as its home run king several times. He is undecided as to where he will play next year.

M'LARNIN STOPS GOLDSTEIN IN 2D

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Sammy Baker, Phil McGraw, and a half dozen other stars, flashed full on Goldstein's jaw. Ruby crumpled, fell through the ropes and hung there, his head in the press row and his body held up by the lower strand of the ringropes.

It looked then as if the battle was over. Soft eyes starting vacantly, Ruby reached up, caught the upper strand, and pulled himself to his feet. He lifted his hands and walked in for a final effort, but he never had a chance.

McLarnin was upon him like a wolf, tearing with both hands at Ruby's sleek head, bursting bomb after bomb upon the weaving, beaten boy's chin. The last combination, a left and right full to the jaw, stretched Goldstein senseless on the floor. Referee Lou Magnolia counted over the lustreless jewel as he lay thre flat on his back, but the toll was only a matter of form. Ruby's great effort was over.

OPTIMISTS PLAY TONIGHT.

The Boys' Club Optimists will meet the Fort Myer Band Five in the soldiers' gym tonight at 8:30 o'clock. The following are asked to report at the Boys' Club at 7:30 o'clock: Bruder, Fitzgerald, Bruen, A. Klein, D. Klein, Colbert, McVean, Jones and Ferguson.

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W. VA. SEEKS TO BOLSTER FORWARD

Reserve Material Is Lacked; Cubbon Is Possibility.

MORGANTOWN, W. Va., Dec. 13. Lack of a good string of reserve forwards is the biggest problem Coach Francis Stadsvold, of West Virginia University, is now confronted with as he attempts to mold the 1930 edition of Mountaineer courtmen.

With Marshall ("Little Sleepy") Glenn at one forward and both Emory Lepera and Truehart Taylor, veteran forwards, available for the other during the first semester, Coach Stadsvold has part of his worries reduced, but Taylor is to be ineligible after that period, and unless some changes take place he will be in want of good forward material to finish the campaign.

The salvation, if there is to be any, will likely come in the form of Eddie Cubbon, lanky sophomore, folks on the "inside" of the Mountaineer basket ball problem believe. Cubbon is adept at either the forward or center post, and in the event that Eddie Bartrug pulls through at the pivot position, Coach Stadsvold will have Cubbon, an uncanny "shot," ready for service wherever needed.

Guard Material Plentiful.

Last year Coach Stadsvold used Taylor and Lepera alternately during the game, having usually started the speedy and slippery little Lepera and then shooting Taylor, a fast breaker, in at a crucial point. That system worked well until injuries to Taylor, Lepera and "Swede" Hagberg, center, at different times, broke in on the plans.

At the guards, Coach Stadsvold has an abundance of good material, headed by the veterans George Ratcliffe, Lawrence Plaster and Eddie Fox and supplemented by a promising sophomore in Beverley Michie, and Walter ("Red") Gordon, next year's grid captain, who did not see varsity service last year because of an old football injury.

Potomac State Five Opens Season Tonight

Special to The Washington Post.

Keyser, W. Va., Dec. 13.—Potomac State College will open its basket ball season in Cumberland, Md., tomorrow when it meets the Central Y. M. C. A. Team. The second game of the season is with High Point College, of High Point, N. C., here, on next Wednesday.

Coach Parrish lost two men by graduation last June. They were "Red" Kasun, guard, and Kermit Longridge, center. Five lettermen are back in uniform, but the pivot material appears to be scarce.

Capt. Thomas, forward; "Eck" Miers, guard; John Cagni, forward and guard; Elmer Gower, forward and center, and Shriver, reserve, are the men left from last season's quintet, which hung up an enviable record. In addition, Parrish has promising material in Swartz, forward and center, who starred with Bayard High last season; Roy Mills, former Keyser High ace; Loline, flashy guard from LaSalle, Ill., and Albert Casey, center, who hails from Portsmouth, Va.

SOCCER TEAM DRILLS.

Columbia Junior High Alumni's soccer team, which plays Stuart at the Plaza tomorrow for the Junior American League championship, will practice today on Field No. 2 at 2 o'clock. The following are asked to report: Tretick, Poetzman, Roumel, Mostow, Palmer, Blanken, Jacobson, Esentad, Childs, Mareno, Lewis, Kline and MacKenzie.

ON DIXIE GRIDIRONS

BATON ROUGE, La., Dec. 13 (A.P.).—The South Carolina-Clemson game, long a football classic in the South, will cease to be a feature of the South Carolina State Fair after this year.

James G. Gee, athletic director at Clemson, here to attend the annual Southern Conference meeting, conferred with Billy Laval, South Carolina coach, today, and then announced that beginning with the 1931 season, the grudge duel between the Tigers and Gamecocks will be played at Columbia.

For years this game, the big shot of the season for both teams, has been one of the high lights of fair week at Columbia. But both Gee and Laval say it requires too much preparation for an October debate.

Several S. I. I. A. A. coaches are here trying to book games with conference teams for next year. Harry Robertson, Oglethorpe coach, is very active and so is Walter Johnson, of Presbyterian College. Others are booked for today.

Dr. Bradford Knapp, president of Auburn, has the conference guessing as to who will be named successor to George Bohler as coach of the Plainsmen. Reports will not down that Capt. Biff Jones, of the Army, is slated for the job, while a large wing of the Auburn alumni is said to be solidly behind Red Floyd, who finished the season in charge of the Plainsmen.

Bernie Bierman, the grave-faced coach of the champion Tulane Greenlees, is kept busy receiving belated congratulations. Tulane finished with an undisputed claim to the title, and those coaches who had not already wired felicitations were saying it with handshakes.

Tulane officials promise a surprise of two when their 1930 schedule is announced in a few days. Right now Greenie officials are trying to fill a couple of open dates with another major team or two.

Clemson has two open dates, and so have several other schools. There will be a lot of date juggling done here in the next two days.

Floris High Five Wins In Va. District Tourney

Charlottesville, Va., Dec. 13.—Floris High School of Herndon, successfully defended the State championship basket ball title among class C teams by defeating Eggleston High School, 23 to 15, in the first round of the annual tournament of district champions played in the Memorial Gymnasium of the University of Virginia under the auspices of the Virginia High School Literary and Athletic League.

Linville-Edom High School, of Edom, State champions in 1927, made a bid to regain the title by winning from Shoemaker High School, 21 to 9. The Linville-Edom Quint has doubled the score on every opponent except one played this year. After taking a long lead every Edom regular was replaced by a substitute.

Fincastle High School came from behind to defeat Sussex High, 34 to 20. The winning rally was made possible by the accurate shots of the Fincastle center, Firebough, whose 12 points made him the high man of the victorious quint.

R. Kent, of Columbia High, also scored an even dozen points, but his team trailed Hempsville High School, which won 26 to 22.

With every one of the nine districts represented, it was necessary for one team to draw a bye in each round.

Clarksville High School had the lucky draw this afternoon, while Fincastle has a bye in the semifinal round tonight.

BLUE RIDGE MEETING.

Martinsburg, W. Va., Dec. 14 (Special).—The annual meeting of the Blue Ridge League, which is scheduled to be held in Martinsburg, is likely to be called for the third week in January, it was learned here today. Officers are to be elected for the ensuing year at the meeting, last year's business closed and plans laid for another season.

COACH NAMES CAPTAINS.

Martinsburg, W. Va., Dec. 13 (Special).—The local high school basketball team will have no captain this year, Coach Mullen deciding to designate a man to run the team on the floor as the games appear instead of using one man for the entire season.

HOGAN PILOT OF CARNEGIE QUINTET

New Mentor Has Veterans Ready for Season.

Special to The Washington Post.

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 15.—The Carnegie Tech basket ball candidates have been working hard during the past four weeks under the direction of Coach Ralph Hogan, new mentor of the Tartans. Hogan is a graduate of the University of Iowa, where he was captain of the strong quintet in his senior year, and last season coached at Libby High School, Toledo.

Several classy veterans of last year's outfit are trying for positions this season. They are Capt. George Nease, Marvin Fox, Wayne Higgs, Ralph Merten and Robert Kilgore. The men who look promising from last year's freshmen quint are Webster, Schumacher and Leonard.

Three football stars who played their last grid game of the season against Southern California yesterday are expected to make a strong bid for positions on the floor team upon their return from California. They are Murray Armentrout, half back; Harry McCurdy, quarter back, and Jim Traa, half back.

The schedule follows:

December 27, Youngstown Y. M. C. A., at Youngstown, Ohio; 28, St. John's College, Toledo, Ohio.
January 4, West Virginia, at Morgantown, W. Va.; 8, Pitt, at Carnegie Gymnasium; 11, Penn State, at State College, Pa.; 13, W. and J., at Washington, Pa.; 17, Michigan State, at Pittsburgh; 18, Grove City College, at Pittsburgh; 21, Geneva College, at Beaver Falls, Pa.; 24, Pitt, at Pitt Stadium; 29, Westminster College, at Pittsburgh.
February 8, Thiel College, at Pittsburgh; 12, W. and J., at Pittsburgh; 15, Penn State, at Pittsburgh; 19, Army, at West Point; 21, City College of New York, at New York; 22, New York University, at New York; 25, Pitt, at Carnegie Gymnasium.
March 1, Geneva College at Pittsburgh.

By Product Just Lasts To Win at Jefferson

Jefferson Park Race Track, New Orleans, Dec. 13 (A.P.).—C. B. Ramsey's By Product, under light weight and given a good ride, scored in a sensational finish in the Maddona Purse, a 6-furiong sprint here today. The victory of By Products was hard earned and it was largely due to the perfect ride put up by J. W. Frye. Mix Up was second and Germaine Chauvelot third.

The start was good and Wind Flower went into the lead and set a fast pace to the middle of turn where Eloise slipped into the lead after saving many lengths by hugging the rail. By Product was on the outside and close to the leaders. In the stretch, By Product took the lead and under hard urging just lasted to win by a head. Mix Up beat Germaine Chauvelot a length and a half for the place. There was a lot of rough riding in this race in which Mix Up and Germaine Chauvelot were the chief sufferers. Jockey M. Rose, who rode Eloise, was set down for ten days for rough riding.

Lynchburg College Announces Grid Card

Lynchburg, Va., Dec. 13.—Football schedule for Lynchburg College for 1930 eliminates games played for several years with Washington and Lee and Atlantic Christian College. The schedule follows:

October 4, Catawba College here; 11, University of Richmond, there; 18, Bridgewater College, here; 25, Randolph-Macon College, at Ashland; November 1, Roanoke College, at Salem; 8, Hampden-Sidney College, there; 15, pending at Lynchburg; 22, open; 27, Guilford College, there.

Penn State Matmen Turn Out in Numbers

State College, Pa., Dec. 13.—The addition of an extra class in the weight divisions for college wrestling teams has brought out an unusually large number of candidates for the Penn State squad this season. Coach Speidel had more than 100 answer his first call for varsity candidates today. The new division will come between the old 158-pound and 175-pound classes.

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DECEMBER 14, 1904.

Alexandria citizens held an indignation meeting to protest against the trolley service.

Hail and sleet covered the city streets. Thirteen persons were injured by falling on the slippery pavements.

The House drafted a resolution for the impeachment of Federal Judge Charles Swayne of the Florida District on charges of high crimes and misdemeanors.

John W. Thomas, 1014 Eighth street northwest, was asphyxiated by gas in his home.

Five million dollars was the estimated loss in the largest fire in the history of Minneapolis. The fire burned all yesterday.

Daily Cross-Word Puzzle

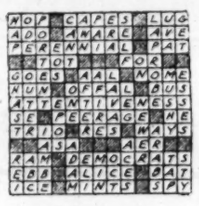
ACROSS.

1 Feasted
6 Equals
11 Lady whose death is mourned in Poe's "Raven"
12 To loughen
14 Doll
15 Reparation
17 Toward
18 Mineral spring
19 Becomes obstructed with sediment
20 Fleur-de-lis
21 Unit of weight
22 The "Desert State"
23 In front
24 Guide
26 Africans
28 Place to sit at church
30 Grain
31 Sleeps
35 Bird's habitations
39 Metal-bearing rocks
40 Bristle
42 Macaw
43 Fragment
44 After part of a vessel
45 Witty saying
46 Mamma
47 Looked pryingly
48 Climbing plant
49 One who places goods in a warehouse
51 More orderly
53 Beautify
54 One who makes an endeavor to do something

DOWN.

1 Tyrant
2 Crazy
3 None
4 Things rubbed out
5 To give up
6 Leopard
7 Extremities
8 Half-ems
9 Second note
10 Irony
11 Holds out
13 Mislays
16 Dash
20 Card game
23 Independent
25 Unwritten narrative poetry
27 A masculine woman
29 Occidental
31 Apartments
32 Mistakes
33 Fit of ill-humor
34 Look for
36 Rich medieval silk
37 Action at law to recover the value of personal property
38 A sly, wanton woodland deity of Greek mythology
41 City in Italy where a famous "Council" was held in the 16th century
44 Prophet
47 In favor of
50 Hypothetical force
52 Sloth

YESTERDAY'S ANSWER.



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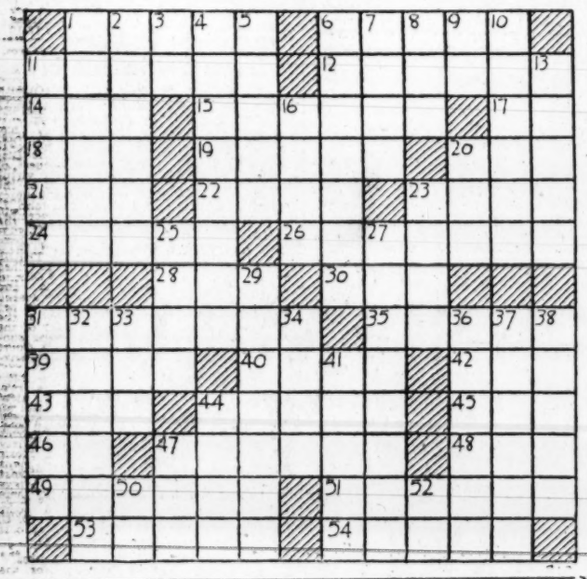

Uncle Ray's Corner

A Little Saturday Talk.

I WOULD appreciate very much a letter concerning the knights of the Middle Ages. We are studying this in history.—Paul Kohn.

That is an interesting subject, Paul. Let's pretend that we can make a journey back through time, back to the year 1100.

Walking along the roads of Europe, we fail to see any autos, but here comes a knight! He is riding on a huge white horse, and on another horse is a squire. The squire carries a lance and a shield. You might mistake him for the knight if you did not know better. The knight does not like to carry his weapons except when he is making ready for combat.

We watch the knight as he goes by. A short distance down the road, he turns into a side road leading to a castle. In the castle the knight finds a welcome, even though he never saw the lord of the castle before. He is given a feast, and a minstrel plays a harp and sings for him.

Before long we hear a noise coming from the castle yard. We go close and climb a tree where we can see over the wall. The knight is on his white horse, and his lance is leveled. The lord is clad in armor and sits astride a powerful black horse. In a moment the two ride together, trying to strike each other with their lances. The visiting knight is knocked from his horse.

That seems like a poor way to treat a guest—but it is all for fun. The lances are blunt, and the knight has simply been "shaken up" by his fall.

So I have given you a little picture of an afternoon in a knight's life. Perhaps I'll tell more in the Corner at another time.

There are still some interesting leaflets left. If you wish, you may send me a self-addressed, stamped envelope, asking for three of the following: "How to Make a Corner Scrap-Book," "Facts About Europe," "Care of Dogs," "Forty Good Riddles" and "Home Pastimes." Take your pick. Address me in care of the newspaper, and please write plainly to avoid loss in the mails.

Uncle Ray

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Shenandoah Gets 400 Red Cross Members

Special to The Washington Post.

Strasburg, Va., Dec. 13.—The annual Red Cross roll call in Shenandoah County has netted 400 members to date. Strasburg led other communities in the county by securing 134, Newmarket secured 67, Woodstock 122, Edinburg 61 and Toms Brook 10.

The committee in charge of the drive consisted of Mrs. J. M. Boles, Strasburg; Miss Abbie Henkel, Newmarket; Kenneth Saum, Edinburg; Lawrence Hottle, Toms Brook; Miss Nan Williams, Miss Arlene Marston, Mrs. Douglas Dymock, Miss Virginia Riddleberger and Mrs. M. L. Walton, jr., all of Woodstock.

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BUCK ROGERS, 2429 A. D. — *Leaps for Root of City* — *By Phil Nowlan and Dick Calkins*

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AT THIS MOMENT, REVIVED FROM MY PARALYSIS, I ARRIVED AT THE TOWER.
THERE THEY GO!
WE CAN'T GET UP!
THERE'S NO AIRCRAFT UNDER THE CITY ROOF!
HERE! GIVE ME ROOM! I'LL JUMP IT OR BUST!
WITH EVERY OUNCE OF MY STRENGTH I LEAPED AS I NEVER LEAPED BEFORE. COULD I MAKE IT?
I MUST REACH THAT ROOF!
MARVELOUS!
WONDERFUL!
HOW CAN A MAN JUMP THAT WAY?
JACK CALKINS
TO BE CONTINUED!

ELLA CINDERS— *Short Story Conference* — *By Bill Conselman and Charlie Plumb*

Ella is anxious to begin directing her picture, but her supervisor and scenario writers keep jumping from one story idea to another.
I CAN'T ASSEMBLE A CAST FOR MY PICTURE UNTIL WE PIN OURSELVES DOWN TO ONE DEFINITE STORY IDEA!
BUT, MISS CINDERS—
BUT, I THINK—
BUT, LISTEN—
YOU ALL HAVE DIFFERENT IDEAS, BUT I'VE DECIDED TO MAKE A SEA PICTURE, WITH STORMS AND WRECKS, STRANGE PORTS AND HEROIC LOVE—
BUT—
BUT—
BUT—
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NOW THAT THAT'S SETTLED, I'M GOING TO START CASTING THE PICTURE! AND THERE'D BETTER BE SOMETHING FOR THE ACTORS TO DO!
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GASOLINE ALLEY — *Think It Over*

MR. BLUECHIP, MEET MR. WALLET. MR. WALLET HAS JUST INHERITED CODA'S FORTUNE. YOU MULTI-MILLIONAIRES SHOULD KNOW EACH OTHER.
RETIRING, I SUPPOSE. YOU'LL BUY A FINE BIG YACHT AND SETTLE DOWN TO HAVING A GOOD TIME?
NOT RIGHT AWAY, MR. BLUECHIP.
LET ME TELL YOU SOMETHING ABOUT THAT. IF YOU'RE GOING TO PLAY YOU'VE GOT TO HAVE SOMEBODY TO PLAY WITH. OTHER MILLIONAIRES HAVE YACHTS OF THEIR OWN AND AREN'T GOING TO PLAY AROUND ON YOURS
I HAVE PLENTY OF FRIENDS WHO AREN'T MILLIONAIRES
YES BUT THEY HAVEN'T THE TIME. THE ONLY OTHER PEOPLE WHO HAVE THE TIME HAVEN'T ANY MONEY AND YOU'LL SOON GET WEARY OF FURNISHING ALL THE DOUGH FOR YOUR FUN AND THEIRS. YOU'LL FIND TOO MANY OF THAT SORT OF FRIENDS.
TAKE MY ADVICE AND TAKE YOUR PLAY IN SMALL DOSES UNTIL YOU GET USED TO IT. HAVING A GOOD TIME GETS TO BE THE HARDEST KIND OF WORK. KEEP YOUR JOB FOR RECREATION.
I'VE PRETTY NEARLY DECIDED TO DO THAT MR. BLUECHIP.
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MINUTE MOVIES — (All rights protected by the George Matthew Adams Service. Trade Mark Registered U. S. Patent Office.) — *By Ed Wheelan*

DAYS OF YORE
PRODUCED BY ED WHEELAN
EPISODE 23
DE BRISSAC NOW EXPLAINED TO HIS TWO FAVORITE KNIGHTS HOW THE THREE OF THEM COULD KEEP ALL OF CEDRIC'S TREASURE FOR THEMSELVES
BY MORNING MY MEN WILL ALL BE OVERCOME WITH WINE!! WE CAN THEN TAKE THE TREASURE AND ESCAPE!!
WITH IT WE CAN RETURN TO NORMANDY AND LIVE IN LUXURY THE REST OF OUR LIVES—COME, LET US PREPARE!!
BUT HARK YE—I AM ALSO TAKING THE MAID WITH ME—PREPARE THREE HORSES AND SEE THAT THE DRAWBRIDGE IS LOWERED—HOWEVER FIRST COME WITH ME AND GET THE TREASURE!!
MEANWHILE BELOW, IN THE SAXON'S WINE CELLAR DE BRISSAC'S KNIGHTS SAMPLED ALL OF CEDRIC'S RARE VINTAGES, LITTLE DREAMING OF WHAT WAS GOING ON ABOVE
AND NOW THE GREAT STONE CONCEALING THE ENTRANCE TO THE SECRET PASSAGE INTO THE CASTLE WAS SLOWLY PUSHED OPEN
SH-H-H
THRU THE UNGUARDED HALL GIRTH LED YOUNG GILES AND THE OTHER MEMBERS OF ROBIN HOOD'S BAND
THERE WILL BE A SLIGHT INTERMISSION HERE UNTIL MONDAY AT THIS SAME HOUR!!
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BOBBY THATCHER — *"Get Rich Quick!"* — *By George Storm*

SOMETHING DREADFUL HAS HAPPENED— HERE COMES THE CONSTABLE WITH ULYSSES AND HE SHOULD BE IN SCHOOL— THIS IS WHAT COMES OF THE LITTLE LAMB RUNNING AROUND WITH OLDER BOYS—
WAS HE PLAYING HOOKEY AGAIN, MR. CROWDER?
WELL— AH, YES, HE WAS MA'AM, BUT WE'LL EXCUSE HIM THIS TIME
HOLD OUT YOUR APRON MA— I GOT RICH AND I'M GONNA GIVE YOU SOMETHING
THATCHER AND ELMER DUG IT UP ON GARDNER'S ISLAND FROM THE CHART I FOUND ON THE ALL NIGHT CAMPING TRIP AND THAT'S MY SHARE AND YOURS
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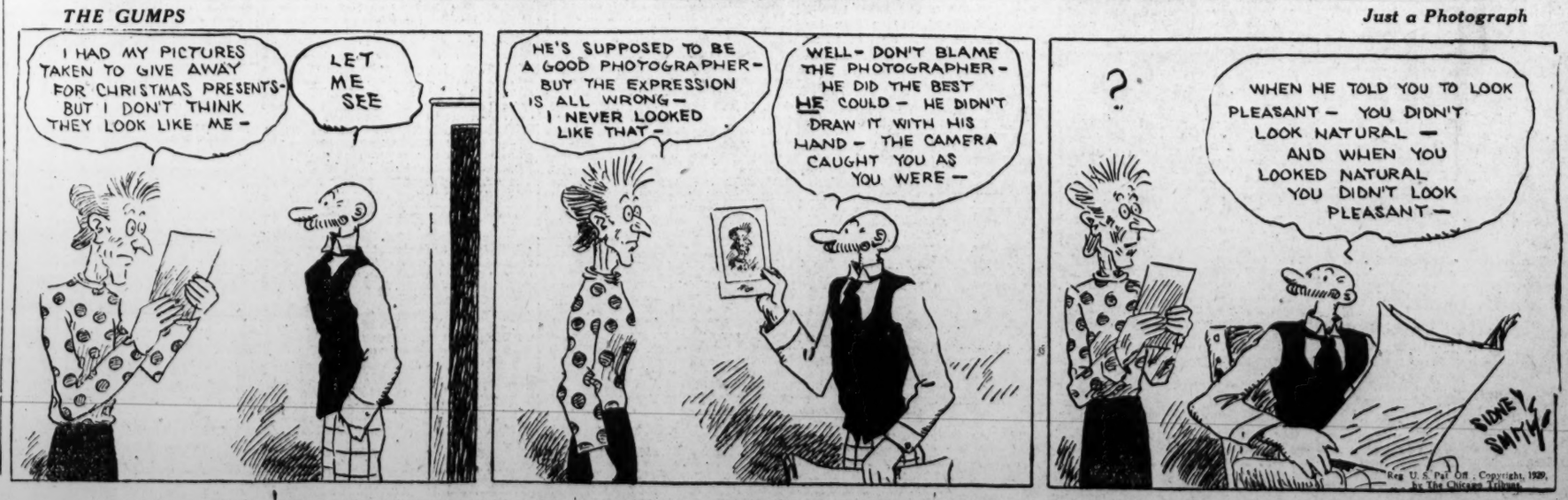
I HAD MY PICTURES TAKEN TO GIVE AWAY FOR CHRISTMAS PRESENTS— BUT I DON'T THINK THEY LOOK LIKE ME—
LET ME SEE
HE'S SUPPOSED TO BE A GOOD PHOTOGRAPHER— BUT THE EXPRESSION IS ALL WRONG— I NEVER LOOKED LIKE THAT—
WELL— DON'T BLAME THE PHOTOGRAPHER— HE DID THE BEST HE COULD— HE DIDN'T DRAW IT WITH HIS HAND— THE CAMERA CAUGHT YOU AS YOU WERE—
?
WHEN HE TOLD YOU TO LOOK PLEASANT— YOU DIDN'T LOOK NATURAL— AND WHEN YOU LOOKED NATURAL YOU DIDN'T LOOK PLEASANT—
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NEWS OF LATEST HAPPENINGS IN MARYLAND AND VIRGINIA

EACHO URGES "BACK TO DISTRICT" ACTION

Arlington Men Enumerate Probable Benefits of Such Move.

COMMERCE HEAD QUITS

ARLINGTON COUNTY.
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With the National Capital Park and Planning Commission having made extensive studies for the beautification of the Virginia shore of the Potomac River and with the passage of the Cramton bill, which provides for park development along the river shore from Rosslyn extending to the Great Falls, apparently assured, the problems of the county would all be solved were it again a part of the District of Columbia, declared Richard L. Eacho, vice president of the Back to the District Association.

"For the past two months the question whether or not the Sun Oil Co. should be allowed to establish its plant on the shores of the Potomac River at Rosslyn has been kicked about like a football, such questions would never come up were we a part of the District of Columbia.

"The Federal Government will not permit such plants to be established within its borders and why should Arlington County permit them to locate in any location which appears best suited with no consideration to the future development of the county.

Other Vital Questions.

"Aside from this question, which has been discussed in every organization for the past two months, there are other questions perhaps far more vital to the future of Arlington County, such as the loss of considerable of the gasoline tax revenue from the State which appears possible as the result of the movement now on foot to have the legislature change the method of distribution," he said.

"With the loss of the large amount which this year is approximately $70,000 to perhaps half or less of that amount, Arlington County will not be in a position to construct roads, much less maintain them.

Says School Buildings Needed.

"There are many problems now facing the county in addition to those mentioned and the one most important, or should be, where is the revenue coming from to carry on another school building program which must come.

"It has already been stated, that unless there is an addition to the Washington-Lee High School within the coming year that both the junior and senior high school classes will be placed on half-day basis, and that will not be a good advertisement for Arlington County," said Eacho.

J. Cloyd Byars, general counsel for the Back-to-the-District Association, when asked last night his views of the movement, said:

"Back to the District is the easiest, quickest and best solution of our many economic and governmental problems. In fact, it is the only logical solution. Any other community in the world similarly situated would jump at the opportunity to become a part of the Capital of the greatest Nation on earth.

Prefers District to Virginia.

"The Congress of the United States has spent and will continue to spend vast sums in the development and beautification of its National Capital, but it can not spend it in Arlington County so long as Arlington County remains a part of the State of Virginia. If we are to reap the benefits of Federal aid in the orderly development, improvement and beautification of our county during the present generation, we must no longer delay the preliminary work necessary to create a county-wide and later a Nationwide demand for the reestablishment of the original District lines. How this may best be accomplished is a matter to be determined later. The important thing now is to secure the financial support of individuals and corporations interested in the movement."

Byars announced that the association has opened its headquarters in the Rucker Building, at Clarendon, and on Tuesday night of next week the membership committee has planned a program for the official opening of the offices.

P. P. Woodbridge, who for the past year has been the executive secretary of the Arlington County Chamber of Commerce, announced last night that his resignation, effective January 15, 1930, is now in the hands of the president, Keith R. Brumback.

Woodbridge stated that he concurs in the report which has been filed with the board of directors by a special committee of which Clarence R. Ahalt is the chairman, which states that after a careful study it is felt that the services of a full-time secretary can be dispensed with for the coming year, as the funds of the organization will not warrant the payment of the salary.

While he states that he agrees with the report, Woodbridge further stated that the records show that he is not in sympathy with the policies of the organization and did not wish to continue as its secretary for another year.

It is understood that action on the resignation will be taken at the meeting of the directors to be held next week.

With more than 40 men meeting in the parish hall of St. George's Episcopal Church last night, a men's organization of the church was perfected with the election of William Broxton as president. Other officers are: Charles J. Johnson, vice president; E. Nelson Kloman, treasurer, and Paul Alvey, secretary. The above named officers with the rector, the Rev. Henry Miller, constitute the executive committee and will determine a suitable name for the organization and also draft a constitution and by-laws.

It was pointed out by the Rev. Miller at the first meeting of men held in the Parish Hall that without the men a church was not apt to grow very rapidly, and last night's meeting was the result of the meeting held some time ago.

Commander W. Eldredge Goodhue, U. S. N., the principal speaker of the evening, gave a most interesting talk on his experiences during the World War as commander of one of the convoy divisions in British waters.

In conclusion, he said support the Navy and it will support you.

The county board of supervisors will hold its monthly meeting today at the courthouse.

With the widening of Wilson boulevard completed to the Military road in Rosslyn, the board will be asked to have erected a traffic light where the boulevard meets the Military road. A blind street being at this point, it appears that immediate action on the project is probable.

Owing to the inclement weather, the surface treatment to be put on the Memorial drive and the Glebe road has been held up, but as soon as weather will permit the work will go on, according to an announcement last night by Robert I. Mount, resident State highway engineer.

The Thrifton Village Improvement League will hold its monthly meeting Monday night in the Grace Episcopal Church Parish Hall at 8 o'clock.

Nomination and election of officers will be the principal business to come before the meeting.

Suit for a divorce was filed in the county clerk's office yesterday by Nellie V. Hiser against John T. Hiser.

Services tomorrow morning in the Clarendon Baptist Church will be conducted by the pastor, the Rev. Perry L. Mitchell. In the afternoon a 3 o'clock and evening at 7:30 o'clock special musical service will be conducted by Roy Curley and Charles Clark, Gospel Singers.

Special meetings will be conducted during the coming week.

FIRE DESTROYS BIG STORAGE WAREHOUSE

Post Staff Photo.

Warehouse of Sherwood Brothers storage plant on Richmond highway, near Virginia Highlands, which was destroyed by fire yesterday with $25,000 loss.

PROFESSORS FINISH AUTO LAW RESEARCH

Compulsory Insurance Would Reduce False Claims, They Contend.

COSTS NOT EXCESSIVE

Charlottesville, Va., Dec. 13 (A.P.).—"It is reasonable to expect that the extent of malingering and raising of false claims will be considerably reduced" under a compulsory automobile insurance law, Charles N. Hulvey, University of Virginia associate law professor, and William H. Wandel, research assistant in the Institute for Research in the Social Sciences, say in their study of compulsory insurance for Virginia.

Detailed State reports, they state, and insurance company cooperation would be counted on to decrease delinquencies in connection with claims. "For instance," they continue, "at the present time, while it is only possible to estimate the number of false claims, under State reporting it will be feasible to have an accurate check upon each claim and thus discover the true number of misrepresentations."

Having concluded that the insurance law "will have no adverse effect upon safety," they assert, "our concern is with its success as a guarantee of financial responsibility from the standpoint of cost.

Factors of Cost.

Concerning the contention that compulsory plans cause excessive costs either to the main body of motorists or to certain groups of motorists. The writers set forth:

"In compulsory insurance there are certain factors which tend to increase the cost and there are certain factors which would tend to decrease it. Among the former is the factor supported by the belief that compulsion will require the insurance of large numbers of policyholders who are undesirable as risks and who will cause the loss ratios to mount.

"Where the compulsory insurance law is operating in a State in which there is a strict operators' licensing law with frequent applications of the penalties of suspension and revocation, this situation would not be true. More than that, the figures available show that the largest proportions of uninsured risks are those in rural districts. Here, according to insurance figures, the hazard is very low. Those in the rural group, the companies maintain, are for the most part responsible and, being exposed to few losses, should not be compelled to insure for the benefit of the urban motorists.

Refinement in Rating.

"Quite as important is the fact that refinement in rating is most certain to localize and analyze the hazards, with the result that attention to conservation and prevention-of-loss work will be concentrated at those points at which the stress is occurring instead of being scattered along the broad front where, through misdirection, much of it is futile. Analysis is the groundwork of scientific rating. That a tendency toward more careful, scientific and equitable rating would follow from a compulsory plan of insurance is indicated in the Massachusetts experience, where the number of districts or zones has been greatly increased, new rating zones established, adjustment of rates made between these zones, and new differentials created between the commercial and private classes of motor vehicles.

"Still another point used to substantiate the theory that compulsory insurance would increase the rates is that the courts, realizing that insurance companies are footing the bills, will permit higher awards. That this condition now exists is hardly to be denied. That it will be augmented proportionately might be expected. However, when everyone is insured, there arises a mutuality of interest as between policyholders. This mutuality encourages "social mindedness," as referred to before, and a realization of the real composition of insurance costs tends to increase care directed against augmenting them.

Arguments of Opposition.

"As opposed to these arguments presented to prove that insurance costs will rise under a system of compulsory insurance are first those which rest on the proposition that compulsory insurance has in it certain elements which encourage safety. These elements have been reviewed previously. That thy exist at least to a certain extent seems undeniable.

"Other arguments are based upon the fact that when there is compulsory insurance, the State has a knowledge of the elements entering into the composition of the rates and the various cost factors, as well as the authority to approve or disapprove the rates existing. This regulation of rates by the State usually results in the reduction of some cost factors. Usually these modifications are made in acquisition costs.

"The State is likely to feel that the duties of the agent have been reduced considerably when the compulsory system makes much active solicitation for business unnecessary by making every automobile owner in the State a certain prospect for some company. This conviction on the part of the State is likely to lead to a reduction in the amount of commissions permitted an agent. Thus in Massachusetts in 1926, the general agent received 25 per cent commission on annual policies. This was reduced in 1927 to 15 per cent, and according to the rating schedule is now 10 per cent. Regardless whether such an action is desirable or not, it certainly reduces the cost of insurance.

Explosion Peril Faced by Firemen

Seven Companies Battle Blaze at Warehouse of Oil Company.

Braving the danger of explosion of 130,000 gallons of gasoline stored in nearby tanks, volunteer firemen of seven Virginia communities waged a losing fight yesterday morning in battling a blaze of unknown origin which destroyed the warehouse of the Sherwood Brothers' storage plant on the Washington highway near Virginia Highlands at a loss estimated at $25,000.

Two persons were slightly injured. Avener Beales, of the Jefferson District Fire Company, suffered burns about the face when one small oil drum in the warehouse exploded. J. R. Royston, a company truck driver, sustained cuts on his left hand in attempting to remove a truck from the burning structure. He was treated at Emergency Hospital.

The blaze, which destroyed 20,000 gallons of lubricating oils in the warehouse, brought out firemen from Virginia Highlands, Potomac, Arlington, Ballston, Clarendon and Cherrydale also.

Pastors to Take Leads In 'The Other Wise Man'

The Rev. Earle Wifley, pastor of the Vermont Avenue Christian Church, and the Rev. George M. Diffenderfer, pastor of the Luther Place Memorial Church, will this year repeat their roles in the presentation of "The Other Wise Man," the dramatized version of Henry Van Dyke's Yuletide legend.

The play, which is being presented for the fifth consecutive year, will be given at the Luther Place Memorial Church on three evenings immediately following Christmas Day. The play will be presented under the auspices of the Bible School Association and with the cooperation of members of various local church organizations.

Indiana Society Seeks Members.

Representative Harry C. Canfield, president of the Indiana Society of Washington, has chosen 27 Hoosiers residing in the Capital to conduct a membership drive. Maj. Robert E. O'Brien, of the War College, is chairman of the committee.

SCOUT HONOR COURT TO BE HELD TONIGHT

Badges to Be Awarded Boys in Montgomery County Passing Tests.

PLANS OF CHURCH DRAWN

Approximately 100 Boy Scouts and scoutmasters of Montgomery County will attend a meeting of the Court of Review and Court of Honor tonight in the office of Judge Robert B. Peter, sr., in the courthouse at Rockville. Final examinations will be given the scouts for first and second class and for merit badges.

One of the most important questions to be decided will be the color of the neckerchief to be worn by the scouts of the county. This will be discussed at a special meeting of the scouts and scoutmasters which will follow the giving of tests by the courts. The meeting also will afford a chance for a get-together between the Washington and county officials. Linn C. Drake, scout executive, and H. R. Coates, assistant executive, of the Washington Council, will be present.

The personnel of the courts is as follows: Capt. C. J. Treadwell, Gaithersburg; Owen Knight, Dickerson; Edgar Jewell, Damascus; P. G. Ligon, Olney; H. C. Smith, Rockville; Paul Hannen, Cabin John; Wilbur Baughman, Kensington; Charles Hutson, Bethesda; Henry P. Alden, Silver Spring; Don Clarke, Glenmont, and C. S. Miner, Silver Spring.

Representatives of the Washington Gas Light Co., accompanied by County Commissioner Lacy Shaw and Chief Engineer Irving C. Root, of the Maryland National Capital Park and Planning Commission, yesterday inspected the northern metropolitan district with a view to the establishment of gas service in that section. The survey yesterday was made to determine a convenient point at which a pressure tank could be located in connection with the system.

The service will embrace Silver Spring, Woodside, Blair, Blair-Takoma, East Silver Spring, Sligo Park Hill, Smith's Addition, Seven Oaks, Wynnewood Park, Woodside Park, North Woodside, Linden and Forest Glen.

Plans for the new church of the Rockville Presbyterian Church have been completed and work on the new edifice will be started shortly, it was announced yesterday. The building will be of Montgomery County variegated stone, tile and stucco. It will include a main auditorium, three Sunday School rooms, a large social room and a kitchen.

The new church will cost about $25,000, and probably will be completed by spring. In the meantime, the congregation is meeting in the courtroom at the Rockville Courthouse. The Rev. Henry K. Pasma is pastor of the church, and the following building committee worked on the plans. Harold C. Smith, chairman; Judge Robert B. Peter, John G. McDonald, Mrs. Edwin Smith, Mrs. Theodore S. Mason and J. Garnett Ward.

Annual Union Service To Be Held Christmas

The annual union Christmas service under the auspices of the Washington Federation of Churches will be held this year in the New York Avenue Presbyterian Church at 11 o'clock Christmas morning, it was announced yesterday.

The sermon will be preached by the Rev. J. J. Rives, pastor of the Francis Asbury Methodist Episcopal Church. More than 2,500 Christmas stockings, filled with gifts, will be distributed at the service.

BIRTHS, DEATHS AND MARRIAGES

BIRTHS REPORTED.

Herman N. and Marion Anderson, boy.
Mel K. and Ng Shee Sun, boy.
Louis and Ethel Richards, girl.
Augustine and Emma Episcopo, girl.
Benjamin F. and Hazel C. Oliver, girl.
John E. and Mary L. Ager, girl.
George E. and Margaret M. West, boy.
Charles F. and Adeline Moore, boy.
Herman and Gertrude Wieland, boy.
Marshall W. and Edith E. Turner, girl.
Benjamin and Lizzie Allen, boy.
Carroll and Mary E. Tyler, boy.

LICENSED TO MARRY.

Bruce J. Thornton, 34, and Mildred E. Lyon, 25. The Rev. H. H. D. Sterrett.
Harold Samuel, 31, Rosslyn, Va., and Mary Louise McCourey, 19, McLean, Va. The Rev. J. Harvey Dunham.
Douglass Shepard, 55, Alexandria, Va., and Pearl Brown, 45, Alexandria, Va. The Rev. J. P. Pinkett.
Paul A. Otis, 31, and Eunice Willield, 22. The Rev. James T. Harvey.
Jack Small, 21, and Helen Marie Lynch, 19. The Rev. Father Gravenstine.
Preston E. Owings, 23, and Adaline Dixon, 21. The Rev. Henry W. Snyder.
William H. Lee, 21, and Rebecca Evans, 20. The Rev. A. Wilbanks.
Wilhelm Muhlhousen, 23, and Minna Helvig, 22. The Rev. C. J. Jordan.
Harold M. Randall, 29, and Irene V. Nellinger, 27. The Rev. Eugene T. Kenedy.
Henry Sephir, 24, Baltimore, Md., and Thelma Kelly, 21, Baltimore, Md. The Rev. Paul Norris.
Clifton Walker, 33, and Cora Fletcher, 18. The Rev. James A. Cater.
Herbert Beasley, 24, and Neather Evans, 19. The Rev. Alexander Willbanks.
Gerson Kaufmann, 24, and Sadie Lesner, 22. The Rev. Abram Simon.
Douglas V. Cornwell, 38, and Beatrice Fischer, 32. The Rev. J. S. Montgomery.
Edwin Howard Ayers, 34, and Ruth Evelyn Conway, 27. The Rev. T. J. Turkington.
Leon Zalls, 24, Baltimore, Md., and Lee Samuels, 23, Baltimore, Md. The Rev. G. Silverstone.

DEATHS REPORTED.

Mary F. Christie, 84 yrs., 1760 Euclid st. nw.
Jennie E. Randall, 82 yrs., 2912 Georgia ave. nw.
Elizabeth V. Haskins, 78 yrs., Sibley Hospl.
Harry A. Sill, 76 yrs., Walter Reed Hospl.
Mary A. Van Dolsen, 76 yrs., 2013 Park rd. nw.
Alexander Brown, 74 yrs., 319 I st. ne.
Timothy M. Ring, 69 yrs., Garfield Hospl.
Frances A. MacMurray, 66 yrs., 2003 G st. nw.
Dwight E. Aultman, 57 yrs., Walter Reed Hospl.
Harry H. Stone, 56 yrs., Tuberculosis Hospl.
Charles P. Elliott, 35 yrs., 311 First st. se.
Infant of Earl and Julia Nash, 17 hrs., Columbia Hospl.
James Brooks, 60 yrs., Gallinger Hospl.
Ophelia Clay, 48 yrs., 421 L st. nw.
William Brown, 38 yrs., Walter Reed Hospl.
Crayton Pough, 29 yrs., Gallinger Hospl.
Samuel Boone, 26 yrs., Gallinger Hospl.

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The Fairfax Volunteer Fire Department decided to erect the new siren recently purchased on the roof of Dove's lunch room, in place of on the steel tower which was given them by the Cherrydale Department, at a meeting last night. This tower was to have been erected on a lot in the rear of the law offices of John W. Rust. The plan of placing it on the building was adopted because it was believed that such position would give the siren better range.

Chief Allen Williams and Engineers Elmer Dove and Robert Williams were appointed a committee to inspect the chemical outfit offered for sale by the Cherrydale firemen. If it is found to be suitable for local needs it will be purchased and will be used in fighting fire in sections where the water is not available and on roads where the heavy engine could not travel on because of mud.

Mrs. Lou E. Burgess was elected councilor of the Kenmore Council, Daughters of America, at Andrew Chapel. John W. Day was elected associate councilor; Miss Dotsie Jenkins, vice councilor; Mrs. Francis Lanham, associate vice councilor; Miss Helen Kidwell, junior past councilor, Mrs. Dorothy Berry, associate junior past councilor; Miss Louise Millard, conductor; Alpheus Burgess, warden; Mrs. Margaret Day, recording secretary; Mrs. Emily Caton, assistant recording secretary; Miss Emma Millard, financial secretary; Mrs. Goldie Millard, treasurer; Mrs. Elsie Wood, inside sentinel; Mrs. Mamie Dyer, outside sentinel; Mrs. Goldie Dyer, 18-month trustee. The representatives to the State Council elected were Mrs. William Cockrill, Mrs. Catherine Leigh and Mrs. Margaret Day. The flag bearers will be appointed by the newly elected councilor.

Mrs. W. P. Davis was elected councilor of the Old Glory Council, Daughters of America, at McLean; Mrs. Bernard, associate councilor; Samuel Darne, vice councilor; Mrs. Edward Heath, associate vice councilor; Mrs. James B. Byrnes, conductor; Mrs. Samuel W. Darne, warden; Ralph Thompson, recording secretary; Miss Mable Ball, assistant recording secretary; W. P. Davis, treasurer; financial secretary, C. B. Money; Miss Louise Voight, inside sentinel; Mrs. R. C. Kline, outside sentinel; Mrs. Ralph E. Thompson, eighteen-month trustee. The representatives to the State council elected were Mrs. Charles Furlong, Mrs. W. P. Davis and Mrs. James Byrnes. The new officers of both councils will be installed at their first meeting in Jaunary, 1930.

A dinner will be given tonight by the members of the 4-H Club at Colvin Run schoolhouse. Mrs. G. Ashley Money, leader, is in charge of arrangements. The dinner will be served from 5:30 to 8:30 o'clock. The proceeds derived from the dinner will be used for refurnishing the classroom that has been converted into a kitchen for use of the 4-H Club and Community League. Following the supper Kenmore Council, Daughters of America, will present a large American flag to the school. Mrs. Bessie N. Kenyon, of Vienna, State secretary of the Daughters, will make the presentation, and Miss Belle Taylor, teacher of the school, will accept the flag in behalf of the school. There also will be a short entertainment by the pupils of the school.

Fairfax Council, No. 26, Order of Fraternal Americans, will present a large American flag to the Burke School tomorrow afternoon. The presentation will be made by F. W. Ebhardt, of Alexandria, national representative from Virginia of the Order of Fraternal Americans, and the acceptance speech will be made by Mrs. Rodger W. Cross, teacher of the Burke School. A short program will be given by the children of the school. The council's committee in charge of the presentation is C. C. Carr and Clinton A. Lane.

The Vienna Council Order of Fraternal Americans will hold a card party tonight in the council's hall in Vienna. The proceeds will be used in paying for a piano recently purchased.

Funeral services were held yesterday for Mrs. Mary Andrews Ballard, of West Falls Church, who died last Wednesday, as a result of injuries received in a fall on the ice about two weeks ago. Rev. Robert Allan Castleman, pastor of the Falls Church Episcopal Church, conducted the services. Interment was in Oakwood Cemetery. Mrs. Ballard was a native of New York State, but had resided in Falls Church for more than 40 years. She is survived by her husband, Lyman Ballard; three children, Mrs. Margaret Smith, Boston, Mass.; Hiram Ballard, of Penn Yam, New York, and Miss May Ballard and four grandchildren.

A dance will be given tonight by the Belle Haven Golf and Country Club, this is the first of a series which has been planned for the Christmas holidays.

The new 5-gallon pumper engine which was recently purchased by the Vienna Volunteer Fire Department will be delivered to them next Tuesday. In addition to pump and chemical tanks the engine is equipped with a booster tank for use in fighting small fires and in places where water is not available.

During the last month C. F. Muddiman tested 979 cows in the Fairfax Dairy Herd Improvement Association No. 2. Of this number 150 were dry, 100 produced 40 pounds of butter fat, 25 produced 50 pounds or more of butter fat and 19 were sold to the butchers.

The total production of the association for the month was 560,568 pounds of milk and 2,306.30 pounds of fat, making an average production of 572.5 pounds of milk and 23.55 pounds of fat.

The best individual herd average was made by eighteen Holstein and Guernseys owned by A. M. Schuerman. The highest individual cow record was made by one owned by Wheeler & Crippen. This cow produced 7,195 pounds of milk and 65.7 pounds of butter fat. Wheeler & Crippen's herd was one of the nine large herds which made the National Dairymen's honor roll for 1928.

B. F. Salsbury has the honor roll Guernsey cow, which produced 1,226 pounds of milk and 50.2 pounds of butter fat. These figures for last month show the reason Fairfax County sold $1,211,000 worth of dairy products last year.

A social will be given tonight by the Young Peoples Service League of the Holy Comforter Church in Vienna. The social will be held in the parish hall of the church.

Delegate-elect L. L. Freeman, of Vienna, returned home yesterday after a trip to Richmond for a conference with Gov.-elect John Garland Pollard. During the conference the question of the five-year reassessment of real estate was discussed. Freeman quotes Dr. Pollard as saying that he realized that the law, which places the burden of the reassessment upon the commissioners of revenue without making a provision for funds with which to hire assistants for this work, was not practical and that he was in favor of having the present law modified immediately after the new Assembly convenes next month.

Freeman also stated that Dr. Pollard has pledged himself to advocate a greater appropriation for State support of local rural schools than has heretofore been granted.

Daily O'Currences

By JOHN J. DALY

LUELLA wants to write a song.

"Why a song?" I asked.

"Because," she said, "I care not who writes the Volstead laws for my country so long as I compose its chansons."

"Its chansons? You mean chanteys!"

"No, I mean songs—chansons," she replied. "Shanties are old broken-down houses."

"Not the chanteys I mean. They're not dilapidated houses. They're songs. Songs of the sea. Sailor songs. You know," I began to sing, "'Twas on the good ship——"

"I know," she interrupted. "I'll take your word for it. Chanties are sailor song——"

"Old sea songs——"

"Those are not the kind of songs I want to write," declared Luella. "I was never a sailor——"

"No? What kind of songs do you want to write?"

She began to snap her fingers: Ta dum te dum ta dum!

"Oh! That kind, eh? Whose going to write the music?"

"I've already got the music," she confessed. "They never write music nowadays, you know. It's composed."

"Yeah? And you've composed music? When did you become a composer?"

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SHE looked at me from the corner of her eye, like that.

"Does a person have to be a composer to write a song?"

"Not to write one, but to compose one, yes!"

"Well, that's where you're wrong," she told me. "Some of the best composers in this country never compose a bar of music."

"No? Where do they get their music?"

"From the old music masters," she explained. "All they do is listen on the radio for a while until Walter Damrosch, or one of those fellows, like Beethoven and Mozart, start tuning up a symphony orchestra, and—"

"And then what?"

"Then they capture a bar or two, a sweet refrain that runs through one of the old classics, and—"

"And that's how they write music."

"That's how it's done," she admitted.

"Well, what about the words?"

"Oh, anybody can write words. All you have to know is how to spell. In fact, I'm thinking of asking you to write the words for my song—"

"What's the name of your song?"

"It hasn't got a name."

"Then I've got to write the name, too?"

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"CERTAINLY! All lyricists write the song titles. Listen now, and see what you'd call this!" She started to hum.

"What would I call it?"

"Yep, what would you call it?"

"Luella, are you daring me?"

"No! I'm in earnest. Name my song!"

"First of all, is this going to be a popular song?" I asked.

"Is it going to be popular," she gasped. "It's been popular for the past 200 years. Didn't you just hear me say how we cop melodies from the old operas?"

"That's right, you did. Suppose we call it 'Reincarnation'?"

"What do you think this is, a flower song?" she asked, all it "Get Up the Steam,' or something like that—a hot number!"

A sailor song, one of the old sea chanteys, it could be called "Anchors A-weigh," or "Throw Out the Life Line," or, may be, "Pull for the Shore." However, Luella knows what she wants; and it's her song.

FEES FOR HUNTING INCREASE $312,000

25,000 More Licenses Made Out This Year, Body at Alexandria Reports.

CULVERT LAYING STARTS

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The meeting of the State Commission on Game and Inland Fisheries, held yesterday in the office of Justice William S. Snow here and presided over by Chairman A. Willis Robertson, disposed of many legislative matters regulating hunting and fishing in Virginia. The legislative report, which will be submitted to the governor, shows an increase in the sale of hunting licenses during the last year of approximately 25,000 and receipts of $312,000 for licenses in 1929, which is an increase of about $117,000 over last year.

Among the matters handled by the commission were the fox-hunting season in Roanoke and Greene Counties, making the season correspond with that in the adjoining counties of Madison and Albemarle; a conference with J. W. Schofield, of Montana, in reference to the propagation of trout and bass in Virginia waters, and a conference with a delegation from Fairfax County in regard to local game wardens, the release of Mexican quail, and the reduction of the quail bag limit from 15 to 10.

Col. H. J. Stone appeared before the commission and discussed the waterfowl situation on the Potomac and the adoption of certain regulations now in effect in the back bay area. The commission considered and approved the annual report of its activities, which will be submitted to the governor and the State Assembly. Many changes are recommended, among them the repeal of 80 existing game and fish laws and the recodification of all general statutes concerning fish and game.

The report also recommends the elimination of the present fee of $2.50 to game wardens for killing dogs, and places them on a salary basis commensurate with the fees they now receive by adding 10 per cent of the dog license, of which they now receive 15 per cent. The elimination of the present combination license requirements in the tidewater streams is recommended.

The members of the commission today will inspect conditions on the Potomac in reference to wild fowl.

Those attending the session were Maj. A. Willis Robertson, chairman, of Richmond; B. W. Stas, of Tazewell; Allan Epes, of Blackstone; S. P. Goodloe, of Afton; Justice William S. Snow, of Alexandria; M. D. Hart, executive secretary, and L. H. Tyus, fiscal secretary.

Approximately 200 members of Alexandria-Washington Lodge of Masons, with their wives or daughters, attended the ladies' night dinner of the lodge last night at the George Mason Hotel, and partook of a turkey dinner, which was followed by an extensive musical program and, later, by dancing. C. Aubrey Callahan, worshipful master of Alexandria-Washington Lodge, was master of ceremonies.

The work of laying culverts as part of the improvement of the River road, from a point half a mile south of the Highway Bridge to Four Mile Run, which, after January 1, will be the northern corporate limit of Alexandria, was started yesterday.

The road has been partially barricaded since December 4, but motorists, finding that actual construction work had not been started, have been disregarding the barriers and using the road. Late yesterday, however, workmen began excavating a trench in the macadam roadway just north of Four Mile Run, for the installation of a metal culvert, and those who persist in attempting to use the road will now probably be turned back, either at the Potomac Yard Bridge, where the original barrier was placed, or at the town of Potomac, where another "road closed" sign has been placed.

City Manager Wallace Lawrence was recently instructed by the city council to request the removal of the barriers until construction work had actually been started, but it is understood he was informed yesterday by Robert I. Mount, engineer in charge of construction, that the work would be started immediately.

A meeting of the directors of the Chambers of Commerce of Alexandria, Arlington and Fairfax counties will be held Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the George Mason Hotel, to discuss the creation of the proposed park and planning commission for this section of northern Virginia.

Among those who are expected to address the meeting are State Senator Frank L. Ball, of Arlington County; State Delegate J. Fred Birrell, of Alexandria; State Delegate Hugh Reid, of Arlington County, and State Delegate L. L. Freeman, of Fairfax County.

News has been received in this city of the death Wednesday at his home in New Egypt, N. J., of Dr. Louis Eldridge Foulks, 76 years old. The funeral will be held in New Egypt today. Dr. Foulks was for eight years city health officer for Alexandria, resigning in 1926.

MAN ADMITS KILLING WIFE, STEPFATHER

Charleston Electrician Taken From Train at Town in Kentucky.

ABANDONS PLAN TO FIGHT

Newport, Ky., Dec. 13 (A.P.).—John T. Gann, 41, electrician, Charleston, W. Va., was taken from a train here today by seven Newport police to whom he admitted killing his wife, Mrs. Catherine Gann, 38, and her stepfather, Richard Price, 60, at Charleston early this morning.

Police Lieut. Charles Johns said Gann first gave the name of George Hauck, Huntington, W. Va. Police took two guns and 200 rounds of ammunition from him.

Four shots had been fired from one of the guns, police said.

"I had planned to shoot it out," Gann told Johns. "I could have killed you all, but when I saw you I thought of my own children and that you had wives and possibly children at home and I changed my mind.

Gann agreed to return to Charleston today without formalities of extradition after a fugitive charge was placed against him.

Charleston, W. Va., Dec. 13 (A.P.).—Mrs. John Gann and her stepfather, Richard Price, were shot and killed at their home here early today. Police said the woman's husband, John Gann, had been arrested at Newport, Ky., as the slayer. According to the police, the Ganns were estranged and Gann had threatened the life of his wife and their two children.

TEACHER QUESTIONS BIBLE; RESIGNS JOB

Alabama Baptist College Biological Professor Is Asked to Quit.

DOUBTS NOAH'S ARK TALE

Birmingham, Ala., Dec. 13.—The resignation of Dr. Horace Calvin Day, as professor of biology at Howard College, a Baptist institution here, was requested and accepted today, by Dr. John C. Dawson, president, because of remarks the instructor made regarding the Bible during recent chapel exercises.

The reference to the Bible was made in an address by Dr. Day, the subject of which was "Be Skeptical," and during which he said to the student body: "We should not give a too literal translation to the Bible."

In his talk Dr. Day said: "There are some people so ignorant they still believe Noah crowded two of each specie of animals into the ark during the flood. How could he have gotten all those animals into the ark?

Doubts Jonah's Whale Story.

"During my years of biological experience I have studied two kinds of whale and found it is impossible for either of them to swallow a man whole and any way no man can live inside a whale. These references seem illogical, but God is logical."

In a statement today the young instructor said, "I am as much a Christian as anybody. It is merely a difference in interpretation. It is just the old fundamentalist versus modernist fight."

He said he was not a member of any church, but that "I go to a minister occasionally regarding spiritual matters, as I think a minister stands for the church."

Is Doctor of Philosophy.

Dr. Day, who is 27 years of age, received his Ph. D. degree from Leland Stanford University in 1928. He also holds an A. B. degree from Lawrence University. His home is at Lake Geneva, Wis. He said he would leave tomorrow for either Leland Stanford University or the University of Indiana, where he had been offered positions.

Dr. Dawson issued a statement today in which he said Dr. Day leaves the college with the "best of feeling existing between us. In view of his statements about the Bible it is impossible for him to remain in his capacity."

Ministerial Student Objected.

Exception was taken to the remarks by the instructor by Lee Gallman, a ministerial student, of Tuscaloosa, Ala., during the chapel exercises. He interrupted the exercises and shouted that Dr. Day "has the wrong idea about the Bible. If he feels that way about it we had better pray for him."

"In science," Day said today, "we are taught to base our assertions on fact. In my study I have learned that there are 600,000 known specie of animals in the world—several hundred thousand undefined and several hundred thousand extinct. Based on this knowledge I can not adhere to the belief that all the animals were put on the ark, especially with the limited knowledge of engineering they were known to have at that time."

Capt. Kerrick, Veteran Of Civil War, Is Dead

Special to The Washington Post.

Culpeper, Va., Dec. 13.—Capt. John R. Kerrick, the oldest Confederate veteran in this county, died today at his home in his eighty-ninth year. He was a member of A. P. Hill Camp of Confederate Veterans here for the past thirty years.

He served with distinction Col. John L. Mosby's famous ranger company and was with Mosby in many of his raids, the one when he captured Federal Gen. Stoughton in Fairfax County. He will be buried tomorrow afternoon in Fairview Cemetery. The local camp of Confederate Veterans will attend. He leaves two daughters and a son.

Lewis Is Low Bidder On New Fire Station

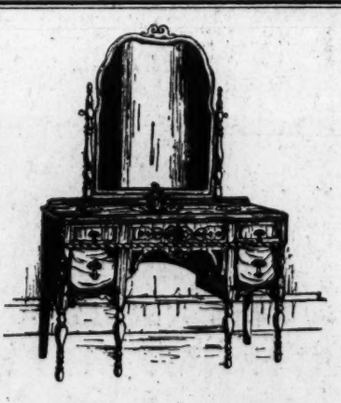
Special to The Washington Post.

Lynchburg, Va., Dec. 13.—C. L. Lewis, local contractor, was low bidder on a fire station to be erected at Fifth and Church streets for merger of apparatus from Co. 1 and Co. 3, the price being $36,000, exclusive of doors, heat, light and plumbing and three iron doors.

Contract is to be awarded by R. W. B. Hart, city manager. There were six bids for the work.

Lynchburg Real Estate Board Elects.

Lynchburg, Va., Dec. 13 (Special).—A. W. Morby, jr., has been elected president of the Lynchburg real estate board for 1930. Other officers are Kiah T. Ford, vice president, and T. G. Woodson, secretary-treasurer.



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